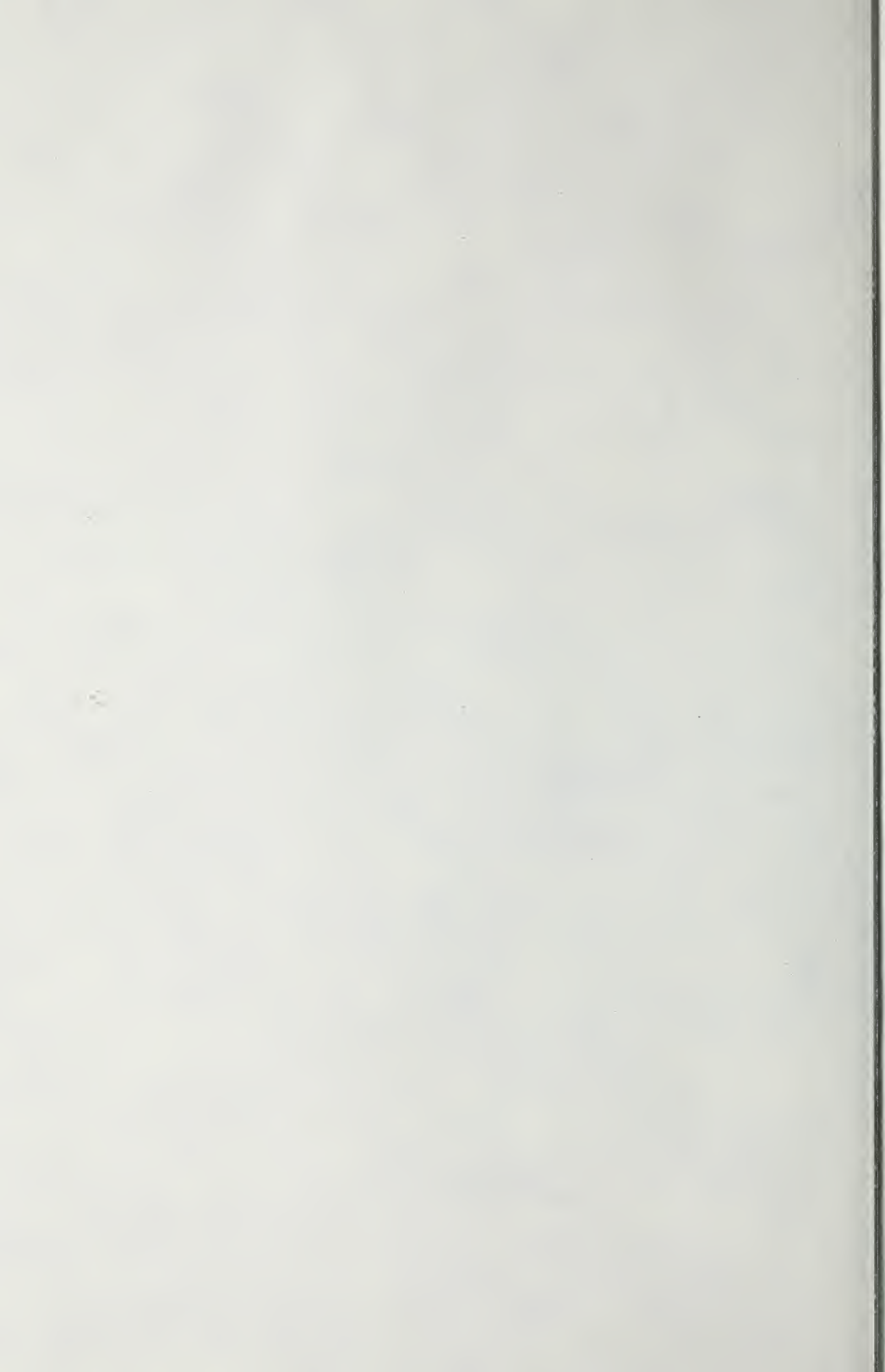


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In Memoriam

August 28, 1961

MOSES L. DAIGLE

Service to the Town
Member, Board of Assessors — 33 years
Member, School Committee
Sealer of Weights and Measures

December 31, 1961

PAUL R. MERRILL

Service to the Town
Chief Custodian, Dracut Public Schools

October 30, 1961

JOSEPH A. (Hermie) DELISLE

Service to the Town
Member, Dracut Police Department

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OFFICERS OF THE TOWN OF DRACUT**For the Year Ended December 31, 1961****MODERATOR**

Paul A. Merrill	Term Expires 1962
SELECTMEN, BOARD OF HEALTH & BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE	
William H. Bromley, Chairman	Term Expires 1963
G. Hayward Johnson, Clerk	Term Expires 1964
Amedee R. Guimond	Term Expires 1962

TOWN CLERK

Hector H. Berube	Term Expires 1962
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TOWN TREASURER

Valmore W. Cornellier	Term Expires 1962
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CONSTABLE & COLLECTOR OF TAXES

Hector H. Berube	Term Expires 1962
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TOWN ACCOUNTANT

Daniel C. Hanson	Term Expires 1963
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ASSESSORS OF TAXES

Frank K. Bryant, Chairman	Term Expires 1962
John F. Callahan, Clerk	Term Expires 1964
Arthur W. Colburn	Term Expires 1963

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Constantine Neofotistos	Term Expires 1962
Joseph E. Daigle	Term Expires 1962
George O. Desharnais	Term Expires 1963
John J. Beaulieu	Term Expires 1964
Joseph H. Harne	Term Expires 1964

TREE WARDEN

Elie Daigle	Term Expires 1962
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HIGHWAY SURVEYOR

Armand Beaudry	Term Expires 1962
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LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Lillian M. Callahan	Term Expires 1962
Laura Blizzard	Term Expires 1963
Katherine Prior	Term Expires 1964

CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

Robert T. Colburn	Term Expires 1962
Joseph A. Campbell, Jr.	Term Expires 1963
Arthur L. White	Term Expires 1964

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Roger Daigle	Term Expires 1962
Arthur Joyal	Term Expires 1962
John Boumil	Term Expires 1963
George Metros	Term Expires 1963
Richard Krawczyk	Term Expires 1964

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

Oliver Richardson, Chairman	Term Expires 1964
Arthur J. Beaudry	Term Expires 1962
Raymond Keefe	Term Expires 1963

MEMBERS OF PLANNING BOARD

Dexter L. Dutney, Chairman	Term Expires 1964
Bryant L. Kirby	Term Expires 1962
Angus Hulslander	Term Expires 1962
Andrew G. Tardiff	Term Expires 1963
Omer Lafontaine	Term Expires 1964
J. Edward Calkins	Term Expires 1965
Arthur C. Eldridge	Term Expires 1965
James Kiernan	Term Expires 1966
Daniel Murphy	Term Expires 1966

MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF APPEALS

George B. Richardson, Chairman	Term Expires 1962
James J. Smith, Member	Term Expires 1963
Kenneth Maddocks, Member	Term Expires 1964
Alden Wood, Associate Member	Term Expires 1962
Robert Lalime, Associate Member	Term Expires 1962

MEMBERS OF THE INDUSTRIAL & DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

Justin T. Belanger	Hubert McAnespie
Frank K. Bryant	Eugene D. Litchfield
H. Joseph Cote	William Messenheimer
Joseph Corbin	Norman Mullen
John E. Campbell	Costos Psoinos
Walter S. Kowalski	

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Stanley G. Bogochow
Leonard Collins
James Drury

Lester Fox
Antonios Katsikas
Joseph Provencher

SURVEYORS OF WOOD, LUMBER & BARK

Oliver Bursey
Daniel C. Hanson

Oliver M. Richardson
Everett E. White

STREET LIGHTING COMMITTEE

Karl L. Roth
Harvey J. Harper
Russell Taylor

RECREATION COMMISSION

Paul Copp
John Conlon
Harry Greaves
Paul A. Merrill
Rita Green

Max Ludwig, Jr.
Ernest Machado
Agnes Vinal
Chester Norton
William Robitaille

Michael Taylor

Associate Members:
Robert Gorton
Maurice Doucette

Francis L. Lappin, Esq.
Ruth E. Aubert
Ernest H. Gunther, Jr.
Wilfred A. Paquette
James B. Taylor
Arthur G. Gunther
D. Russell Devanney
Elie Daigle
Donat Daigle
Christos Malonis
Archibald Thoms
Robert F. Gookin
Frederick Elie
Nelson B. Fox
Arthur Charbonneau
Rita O'Connor, R.N.
Kathleen Kempton, R.N.
Robert C. McAnespie
James Natsios

Town Counsel
Executive Secretary, Board of Selectmen
Chief of Fire Dept., and Forest Warden
Chief of Police Department
Director, Public Assistance
Veterans' Agent
Sealer of Weights and Measures
Supt. of Parks, Playgrounds and Moth Supt.
Inspector of Buildings
Inspector of Wiring
Inspector of Plumbing
Gas Inspector
Inspector of Animals
Inspector of Slaughtering
Dog Officer
Board of Health Nurse
Board of Health Nurse
Board of Health Sanitation
Assistant Inspector of Wiring

OFFICE HOURS OF THE VARIOUS TOWN DEPARTMENTS

Selectmen, Board of Health and Board of Public Welfare

Thursday evenings, 7:30 P.M.

Selectmen's Dept. Board of Health Dept.

Daily, 9 A.M. to 12:00 Noon—1 P.M. to 5 P.M.

Town Clerk and Tax Collector

Daily, 9 A.M. to 12:00 Noon—1 P.M. to 5 P.M.

Thursday evenings, 7:30 P.M. to 9:00 P.M.

Assessors of Taxes

Daily, 9 A.M. to 12:00 Noon—1 P.M. to 5 P.M.

Thursday evenings, 7:30 P.M. to 9:00 P.M.

Treasurer

Daily, 9 A.M. to 12:00 Noon—1 P.M. to 5 P.M.

Thursday evenings, 7:30 P.M. to 9:00 P.M.

Auditor

Thursday evenings, 7:30 P.M. to 9:00 P.M.

and by appointment.

Welfare Department

Daily, 9 A.M. to 12:00 Noon—1 P.M. to 5 P.M.

Veteran's Agent

Thursday, 9 A.M. to 12:00 Noon—1 P.M. to 5 P.M.

and by appointment.

Highway Surveyor

Monday to Friday, 8 A.M. to 12:00 Noon—1 P.M. to 5 P.M.

School Committee

2nd Tuesday of the month at the High School.

Planning Board

4th Friday of each month at 7:30 P.M.

Cemetery Commissioners

2nd Tuesday of the month.

Library Trustees

By appointment

Appeal Board

By appointment

Finance Committee

By appointment

Tree Warden

By appointment

Building Inspector; Wire Inspector; Plumbing Inspector; Gas Inspector

Thursday evenings, 7:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M.

and by appointment.

Industrial Commission

2nd Tuesday of each month at 7:30 P.M.

Recreation Commission

2nd and 4th Mondays of each month at 6:30 P.M.

School Building Committee

2nd Monday of each month, 7:30 P.M. at the High School.

1961 EARNINGS OF THE TOWN EMPLOYEES

(\$50.00 and Over)

George Englesby	\$7,022.98	John Langland	5,884.54
Margaret Breen	5,377.88	Susanne E. Maloney	1,230.72
Hanna Couture	4,984.50	Madelin McLaughlin	1,230.72
Constance Desjardins	4,984.50	Frank Merrill	1,743.84
Margaret Flaherty	5,522.98	Edmund Murphy	7,622.88
Mildred Lunn	4,584.54	William O'Neil	6,389.60
Elizabeth Markham	4,984.50	Florence Parrino	456.22
Catherine Metevier	4,584.54	Peder Pederson	3,563.11
Pearl O'Meara	5,522.98	Eileen Perreault	5,384.56
Alice Pyne	5,522.98	Joseph A. Roark	6,043.96
Ella Coburn	5,522.98	Ethel Goulakos	5,522.98
Mary Droney	5,522.98	Elizabeth Bryant	3,956.81
Esther Garland	5,684.42	Alice Delmore	5,522.98
Mary Kiernan	5,184.44	Mary Economou	4,784.56
Evangeline Sullivan	5,184.44	Virginia Gauthier	1,692.24
Lillian Callahan	4,784.56	Mary Manning	5,869.54
Marilyn Cox	4,184.48	Gertrude McCabe	4,584.54
Louise Donohue	4,784.56	Irene Mitchell	6,022.96
H. Marion Hayes	4,027.82	John Pendergast	4,061.36
Ethel McLarney	1,245.72	Francis Hickey	4,784.56
Pauline Reilly	5,722.92	Mary Neofotistos	5,722.92
Madeline Dinneen	5,384.56	Elizabeth Fox	4,984.50
Vera Hiland	5,722.92	Alice Garside	5,976.84
Judith Dunn	4,584.54	Dorothy Sullivan	5,184.44
Elizabeth Nerney	5,184.44	Irene DeLorme	5,722.92
Marie Panageotopoulos	4,122.96	Alice Chadwick	5,184.44
Christos Daoulos	7,322.96	Marjorie Dadoly	4,784.56
John Anastos	1,230.72	Gertrude Dowd	5,384.56
Gertrude Bateman	4,344.65	Mary Johnson	5,522.98
Gertrude Belanger	6,022.96	Stacia Pilat	4,584.54
Paul Boucher	4,684.46	Edith Callahan	5,522.98
Joseph Chiasson	1,415.36	Martha Salesky	4,984.50
Angelo Dadoly	1,415.36	Mary Corkery	6,022.96
Priscilla A. Daigle	4,584.54	Janet Mulligan	1,718.40
Joyce Donlon	4,061.36	Beulah Paine	5,522.98
Joseph Durand	4,184.48	Mary Peterson	4,184.48
Cristobal Edlund	5,384.56	Pauline Varnum	6,623.40
Peter Foley	310.44	Vincent Anton, Jr.	6,042.26
Mary Garry	1,753.84	Grace Beaulieu	4,984.50
Katherine Green	1,679.76	Leon Bigold	6,022.96
Joseph Halloran	4,061.36	Roger Brunelle	4,061.36
Elizabeth Heenan	4,061.36	Clarence Craggy	6,022.96
John C. Katin	1,384.56	Albert G. Daigle, Sr.	4,984.50
Roger Lacerte	1,415.36	Jane Dockett	1,230.72

Thomas Duffy	5,499.48	Richard Bernhardt	241.00
Anthony Economou	5,284.54	William Stevens	315.00
Joseph Foley	5,084.52	Stanley Hopler	240.00
Martin Garry	5,261.38	Esther Charron	240.00
Joseph C. A. Gagnon	4,884.40	Mary O'Brien	210.00
Mary Hall	6,022.96	Thelma Maria	375.00
John Hardacre	4,384.42	Emil Rosenbaum	490.92
Marguerite Johnson	5,842.96	Richard Pacifico	60.00
Joseph Kulis	1,575.90	Jane Keddie	360.00
Janet Lambert	4,321.36	Patricia O'Neill	840.00
Robert MacDonald	5,484.48	Joanne O'Brien	75.00
Alfred Massello	4,584.54	Edward F. Docket	5,460.00
Walter McNally	6,064.96	Carole A. Millette	3,060.00
Cornelius Murphy	1,230.72	William H. Bromley	850.00
Francis Neilon	6,095.96	Wilfred Paquette	5,408.00
William Pagones	6,573.38	George Watson	5,286.50
Whitman Pearson	5,484.48	Eugene Paquette	4,469.60
Maurice Pepin	6,022.96	Powell Fraser	4,367.60
Lynne Perreault	1,230.72	Alfred Handley	4,366.40
Blanche B. Roussell	5,528.98	Alfred Araskiewicz	755.65
Michael Shahn	5,484.48	Arthur Charbonneau	2,296.00
Helen Spaneas	4,061.36	Lorenzo Delisle	324.00
Peter Stamas	1,353.84	James Drury	432.00
Michael Taylor	4,584.54	Joseph Hughes	576.00
Katherine Prior	4,532.47	Samuel Marsden	492.00
John Cappi	294.18	Edouard Normandin	1,512.50
Barbara Hibbard	478.14	Girard Seigny	799.50
Paul H. Phaneuf	9,635.86	Robert Tyrrell	492.00
Edmund Gamache	4,031.50	John Zaleski	592.50
Lionel Maille	4,031.50	Rene Dupont	317.00
Thomas Ouellette	2,935.50	Raymond Rowe	216.00
Albert Sims	4,041.50	Raoul Beaulieu	662.00
John Taylor	4,051.50	Raymond Levesque	96.00
Marcel Vermette	4,121.50	Arthur Skandalis	6,422.08
George Ekonomakos	2,371.08	Ann Stewart	4,814.00
Lorraine M. Normandin	2,249.91	Paul Tatsios	4,398.42
Guido Vallario	3,392.28	Sandra Zammitti	347.50
Sheila O'Brien	2,769.12	Eloise Decelle	5,540.41
Laura Blizzard	4,084.56	Ellen A. Blackwell	476.88
Martha Fitzpatrick	1,199.73	Vera Rawlynovicz	2,309.97
Eileen Hague	2,769.12	Leo Frechette	4,052.00
Romuald Sawlan	597.11	Hector LeBlanc	3,531.63
Doris A. Dufour Ready	2,480.67	Paul R. Merrill	4,204.03
Ann Irving	90.00	Nestor Paquette	4,071.50
Chris Simorellis	180.00	Charles Stone	4,061.50
Helen A. Blomstrom	360.00	Raymond Turcotte	4,015.46
Grace Rafter	315.00	Arthur Willette	3,531.63

Photine Skandalis	3,255.00	Thomas Dunn	67.78
Robert Hunter	3,669.12	Costos Malonis	102.40
Joseph Roche	3,115.26	Conrad Breton	124.88
Ruth Hession	2,971.13	Ernest Craig, Jr.	140.80
Raymond Dempsey	2,769.12	Walter Urbowicz	84.40
Mary Connolly	3,332.98	John Baratta	64.00
Henry Gallagher	1,644.41	Roger Moge	68.15
George Andricopoulos	3,763.36	Leo Frechette, Jr.	78.31
Anne Chiungos	2,509.65	Armand Beaudry	6,150.00
Mary Callahan	105.00	Ralph Nolin	4,953.24
Stephanie Wisniewski	945.00	Edward Roark	4,644.78
Isobel M. Gregory	477.50	Harold Dickinson	4,384.66
Joan Vinal	1,095.00	Victor Nolin	1,553.33
Vivian Glover	60.00	Michael Cassidy	3,922.64
Margaret O'Brien	757.50	Walter Sosnowy	1,913.20
James Leary	60.00	Eugene Gauthier	920.23
Emile Dufour	150.00	Richard Copley	65.60
Alice Mercier	90.00	Louis Panageotopoulos	209.60
Raymond Harmacinski	90.00	John Patterson, Jr.	520.00
Helen Cleveland	315.00	Joseph Morowski	258.20
Daniel Murphy	195.00	Andre Brisson	260.00
Paul Morin	330.00	Donald Morowski	318.01
Vida Wilder	150.00	Richard Daigle	391.41
James B. Taylor	7,020.00	Arthur Smith	1,484.80
Edward F. Bamford	5,220.00	Ernest Wiggin	1,025.60
Jennie C. Gulezian	2,820.00	John Povey	294.40
George H. Johnson	852.00	George Cakounes	501.78
Arthur White	4,988.40	Roy Ireland	105.18
Raymond Daigle	4,563.50	Edward Frechette	122.40
Charles Panageotopoulos	4,469.60	Floyd Ash	404.00
Raoul Lefebvre	4,365.60	Edmund Daigle	136.00
Robert Augluin	1,209.56	Joseph Santos	976.43
Joseph A. Campbell, Jr.	703.00	Roland Seaborne	1,142.40
Gerard Couture	444.00	Christos Natsios	859.20
Anthony DiRocco	552.00	Francis Murray	628.00
James Gookin, Jr.	712.00	William Martin	69.60
John Machado, Sr.	831.00	Albert Ayotte	64.00
Frederick Murphy	695.00	Paul Cornellier	451.20
Robert Paquin	545.25	Lawrence Callahan	80.10
John Tobin	816.00	Edward Bishop	228.00
Mathew Zagorski	240.00	Harry Suess	454.40
Stanley Zube	540.00	James Southworth	128.00
Edward Mello	354.00	John McInnis	433.60
Arnold Whitworth	216.00	Charles Ayers	332.80
Joseph Delisle	2,517.60	Gerald Courtemarche	57.60
Harold F. Merrill	92.80	Robert Ash	172.80
Raymond Mills	582.73	Joseph Golec	592.00

Richard White	336.80	Ronald Daigle	258.40
Theodore Cakounes	200.80	Phillip Green	351.23
Owen Queenan	292.90	Gregory Dadak	87.20
Gerald Houle	332.00	Dale Richardson	105.60
Kenneth Eldridge	324.40	Carl Vallante	55.20
Dennis L'Heureux	90.40	Robert Breen	118.40
John Manning	134.40	Albert Andrews	200.00
Roger Allard	58.40	Ronald Gignac	65.60
Francis Gumbriis	160.00	Gerald Sousa	78.40
John R. Machado, Jr.	73.70	Leo Grondine	84.80
Norman Perras	78.26	John Garboski	314.40
Clarence Allard	116.68	Gerald Lussier	409.10
Joseph Jennings	219.20	Dennis Santos	375.20
Roland Gauthier	148.80	Raymond Boisvert, Jr.	213.60
George Mahaleris	62.80	John Gucwa	206.60
Leo Young	193.60	Paul Gardner	855.83
Robert Gookin	62.35	Edward White	68.00
Eugene Renaud	152.93	Robert Guinazzo	52.00
Raymond Rowe, Jr.	64.00	Hugh Queenan	336.60
Thomas Dinley	5,057.70	Fred Gavlik	68.80
Robert Gunther	4,542.08	Henry N. Dozois, Jr.	226.40
John Tareco	4,564.66	Grant Demmons	549.20
Paul G. Dillon	4,553.82	David Paquin	242.08
Louise Belanger	911.88	Ronald Gitschier	134.40
Carl LaDuke	2,432.51	Joseph Dube	129.60
Ronald Allard	2,158.86	Frank G. Cunha	52.00
Paul Mailloux	153.48	Robert Allen	233.86
Ronald Holmes	712.60	Theodore Matte	168.03
Richard Moore	344.30	Alton Garland	191.00
Robert Maynes	1,066.63	Blanche Ferron	1,557.42
Gerald Bouchard	165.60	Lillian Hickey	1,626.08
Raymond W. Allard	296.91	Rose Mary Makos	1,534.49
Wesley Pippin	67.70	Janina Boumil	968.59
John Skandalis	625.13	Lucille Machado	675.34
John Sicard	1,179.20	Mildred Shanks	509.13
Roger Gardner	340.00	Thelma Williams	87.00
George Dziegiel	396.00	Rita Brox	62.19
George Dickinson	253.35	Ruth E. Aubert	848.00
Albert Dirsas	92.00	Robert McAnespie	1,180.50
Kenneth Boyden	321.60	D. Russell Devanny	450.00
Ronald Breault	113.60	Rita O'Connor	743.00
Bradford Gendreau	436.80	Mary Cornellier	564.00
John Kaczmarek	1,064.38	Christos Malonis	1,056.00
Henry J. Gauthier	657.60	Archibald Thoms	801.00
Daniel Dozios	234.40	Donat Daigle	2,068.00
Armand Nintean	59.20	Arthur C. Gunther	2,475.00
Lyle Richardson	232.00	Frank K. Bryant	4,325.00

Arthur W. Colburn	4,315.00	Howard Huntting	4,495.80
Hector H. Berube	6,375.00	Clifford Southworth	1,439.50
Ernest H. Gunther, Jr.	4,785.00	Paul A. Merrill	52.00
Gerard Carle	3,603.00	Kathleen Kempton	121.00
Raymond Keefe	3,853.00	Robert Gookin	398.00
Paul Dorris	467.00	James Natsios	124.00
Alfred Troville	295.00	Hector N. Desmarais	60.00
Joseph DiRocco	302.00	Francis L. Lappin	1,775.00
William Knowlton	358.00	Daniel C. Hanson	4,315.00
Clement Conole	300.00	John F. Callahan	4,315.00
Arthur Drendel	356.00	Florence G. Barton	713.00
Francis Klish	258.00	Frances C. Phelan	3,950.00
Francis E. Gunther	316.00	Amedee R. Guimond	5,014.00
Emile Guilbeault	423.00	Victor J. Hamel	3,557.50
Robert Kohanski	185.00	Anthony Sosnowy	3,707.00
Richard Vinal	108.00	Warren Richardson, Jr.	282.00
Ernest Daigle	4,023.88	Roy Denno	357.00
Eli Daigle	4,053.44	Raymond Elie	346.00
Raymond Horman, Jr.	101.00	Roland Belleville	384.00
George McNamara	77.00	John Dillon	301.82
Arthur Levesque	57.00	Laban Munro	259.00
Arthur Beaudry	216.00	Charles Graham	319.00
Dorella Loffredo	91.35	Dominick Tropeano	162.25
Marietta Egan	88.35	Kenneth Gill	221.00
Janice M. Merrill	82.15	George Andrews	339.00
Melville G. Hammond	62.00	Margaret Dockett	2,750.00
George Callahan	62.00	Wilfred Carpentier	2,552.07
Evelyn Willard	51.60	Alfred Beaulieu	92.80
Joseph Greenwood	166.00	Walter Bogochov	123.00
Maurice J. Fleming	282.00	Raymond Horman, Sr.	67.00
Constance Cutrumbes	429.00	James Boumil	116.00
Michael McAndrews	137.60	Virginia Lessard	291.00
Anthony R. Sidorovich	56.00	Shirley M. Kenyon	61.70
Ronald Landry	57.00	Helena Chadwick	91.70
Ronald Harris	56.00	Oliver Richardson	200.00
John Dickinson	401.91	Ernest Patenaude	59.00
Richard Johnson	74.53	Agnes Vinal	87.45
William Ducharme	59.46	Harold Gunther	72.00
Camilla Eldridge	1,619.03	Maurice Jean	88.00
Fleurette Gaudette	1,564.61	Charles Williams	714.00
Eleanor E. Huse	1,619.03	Margaret Callahan	635.00
June V. Paquette	1,619.03	Germaine Hovey	992.52
Inez D. Clegg	1,242.12	Juanita Buffey	361.27
Helen Patenaude	1,047.18	Mary Dockett	62.00
Constance Tropeano	155.33	Henry Daigle	1,246.58
Priscilla Marion	72.50	James Allen	697.82
Valmore W. Cornellier	4,415.00	George Plamandon	1,185.35

J. S. Grasella	60.40	Laura Daigle	530.00
Frederick Elie	1,346.83	Walter Kazalski	120.80
Richard Young	89.00	Francis Burgess	69.46
George Cassidy	50.25	Richard Wilby	151.00
Walter Copley	65.00	Anna Caravoulis	311.40
William Ryder	58.00	Paul F. Egan	76.50
William Robins	52.50	George B. Sheehan	71.00
Delmo Alberghini	79.50	Michael Skaff	56.00
John Eadie, Jr.	51.50	James F. Sullivan	63.50
Raymond Maguire	276.80	Joseph Duffy	95.00
Catherine Pilotte	1,218.77	Isabel Watson	66.50
Virginia Dockett	74.00	Arthur Healey	50.25
Dena Colburn	52.50		

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1961	\$ 421,538.48	
Interest earned during 1961	2,193.96	
Receipts to Dec. 31, 1961	2,614,941.29	
	<u>\$3,038,673.73</u>	
Payments to Dec. 31, 1961	2,575,230.91	
	<u>\$ 463,442.82</u>	
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1961		\$ 463,442.82
Perpetual Care Trust Funds on hand Jan. 1, 1961		\$7,097.17
Perpetual Care Trust Funds received during 1961		20.00
Interest received from Perpetual Care Funds during 1961		279.04
		<u>\$7,396.21</u>
Total of Perpetual Care Funds		414.92
Perpetual Care interest drawn during 1961		<u>\$6,981.29</u>
Total Perpetual Care Funds and interest on hand Dec. 31, 1961		
Other Trust Funds on hand Jan. 1, 1961	\$21,785.01	
Interest drawn during 1961	30.62	21,754.39
Interest added to these Trust Funds		869.83
Post War Fund on hand Jan. 1, 1961	\$27,771.76	
Interest drawn during 1961	4,368.02	23,403.74
Interest added to Post War Fund during 1961		1,121.96
Town of Dracut Stabilization Fund on hand Jan. 1, 1961	\$101,875.00	
April 11, 1961 amount added to present Fund		100,000.00
Interest received during 1961		6,115.74
		<u>\$262,121.95</u>
Total of all Trust Funds Dec. 31, 1961		

Respectfully submitted,

VALMORE W. CORNELLIER
Treasurer

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

To the Citizens of the Town of Dracut:

Each year the responsibilities and duties of the Selectmen increase, as building, industry and population continue to rise in our town.

Before reporting on the activities for the year 1961 the Board of Selectmen would like to take this opportunity to express their sincere thanks for the cooperation and assistance received from all Town Officials, and also from the many appointed members of the various boards, the most recent of these being the Conservation Commission which was formed the latter part of December. All of these citizens working together have enabled the Selectmen to more efficiently and effectively govern the Town and also expedite the solving of the innumerable problems that arise.

During May of 1961 it became necessary to appoint a gas Inspector. After interviewing several qualified men, the Board of Selectmen appointed Mr. Robert Gookin to this position. The gas inspector, working with the Building, Wire and Plumbing Inspectors, in conjunction with the contractors and builders, is an added assurance of a higher standard of construction to the new home builder in Dracut.

Listed below are some of the official duties performed by the Selectmen during the past year:

1. A jury list was compiled, and during the year 32 residents were drawn for jury duty. Of this number 22 attended Superior Court in Cambridge and 10 served at Civil and Criminal sessions at Superior Court in Lowell.

2. The Board held 42 hearings on behalf of utility companies for pole location petitions after abutting property owners had been duly notified.

3. All licenses under the jurisdiction of the Selectmen as License Commissioners were processed. A few of these categories being: Alcoholic beverage licenses, annual and seasonal; common victualers licenses; class II and III Automobile licenses; Pasteurization licenses; Innholder licenses; and Sunday Entertainment licenses.

4. All sub-divisions of land, and new streets were duly inspected and recommendations on same made to the Planning Board. Old streets to be presented at the Annual Town Meeting were laid out and plans and descriptions were prepared under the direction of the Selectmen and the Highway Surveyor.

At the last Annual Town Meeting the Board placed an article in the Town Warrant requesting funds to grade, fill and oil a portion of land adjacent to the Town Hall for parking facilities. This article was approved, the work done, and any Dracut resident, having business at the Town Offices, is now able to park close to the building in an adequate parking lot.

Several long period projects were initiated by the Selectmen during the past year in conjunction with the Industrial Commission. The first of these being an attempt to secure a survey from the Department of Public Works for a connector road from Route #3 to Interstate Route #93. Another being a through investigation, including personal trips to Washington, D.C. and Boston, of the Area Redevelopment Act which is intended to give special help to those areas which have been subjected to chronic unemploy-

ment for a long period of time. Work is continuing on these projects at the present time and the final outcome of both of the above undertakings should prove beneficial to future Dracut residents.

Under Chapter #90 covering road construction the Board of Selectmen has received State and County approval to widen and relocate Hildreth Street. This will be started during the coming year upon the completion of Mammoth Road.

In October of this year the Board accepted with deep regret the resignation of Howard G. Huntting as Executive Secretary. Mr. Huntting very capably filled this position for the past eight years during which time he became known and respected by all. We wish him much success in his new venture.

Upon the resignation of Mr. Huntting the Board appointed Mrs. Ruth Aubert. Mrs. Aubert was formerly employed as secretary to the Superintendent of Schools and has had experience in regard to the working of the Town Government. Mrs. Aubert will be in the Selectmen's office daily from 9:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. and this Board is available to all Dracut residents at their weekly meetings held every Thursday evening at 7:30 P.M. in the Town Hall.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. BROMLEY, Chairman
G. HAYWARD JOHNSON, Clerk
AMEDEE R. GUIMOND

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF APPEALS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

During the past year the Board of Appeals met at least monthly to hear and decide on the many varied cases brought before it through petitions filed with the Town Clerk.

Sixteen residents of Dracut appeared before the board petitioning for variances from the Zoning By-Laws or requesting permits which could be granted under the jurisdiction of the Board of Appeals. These petitions were duly advertised, abutters notified, hearings conducted and decisions rendered and filed with the Town Clerk.

Of the above sixteen cases, nine were approved and seven denied. In all cases the premises in question were personally inspected by members of the board before a decision was reached, thus assuring residents of the immediate neighborhood in particular, and the residents of the town in general, that permits or variances are granted or denied only after careful consideration of the public good.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE B. RICHARDSON, Chairman
KENNETH MADDOCKS, Member
JAMES A. SMITH, Member
ALDEN WOOD, Associate Member
ROBERT LALIME, Associate Member

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

Board of Public Welfare
Town Hall, Dracut, Massachusetts
Gentlemen:

The following is the report of the Public Welfare Agency of Dracut, Massachusetts. The categories of assistance administered by this agency are, Old Age Assistance (OAA), Medical Assistance to the Aged (MAA), Aid to Dependent Children (ADC), Disability Assistance (DA), and General Relief (GR).

The Dracut Public Welfare Agency is essentially a service program. As such, it is the rendering of personal services by the staff. These personal services may be to either families or individuals with social or economic problems, or to the community and its agencies, in developing the aid needed to meet such problems. To the extent that these problems involve financial need, these services require understanding of human needs and a knowledge of the full range of agencies programs, and resources to meet the need.

The social and economic problem necessitating Public Welfare services contain elements of economic need. The family or individual may have been deprived of the normal source of support or may not have the resources to provide a special need or service. They may need assistance in the form of a cash payment or medical care.

These Public Welfare Agency services are based on the principal of mutual aid as being basic and necessary to our community, and it is carried on with respect for individual rights, a regard for people, understanding of society and the knowledge of the programs which serve persons needs.

Each year there are many changes made in the Law and Rules of Public Welfare. We list some of the changes in 1961.

Effective on January 1, 1961 Transportation Allowance for Old Age Assistance was increased from \$2.50 to \$4.00 monthly.

Effective on January 1, 1961 Leisure Time Activity and Transportation Allowance were made budgetary items for Disability Assistance. The Leisure Time Allowance is \$4.00 a month, the Transportation Allowance is \$2.50 a month.

Effective on January 1, 1961 the fee schedule of per diem rates for hospitals was revised. Also effective January 1, 1961 was a new approved schedule of rates for Public Medical Institutions.

Effective on January 1, 1961 a new fee schedule was provided for Nursing Homes.

Effective on April 1, 1961 rules 11 and 15 of the State Department of Public Welfare were changed. This change provides that time specification relating to desertion, separation and duration of need shall no longer be applicable in determining need for the Aid to Dependent Children Category.

Effective on May 1, 1961 Chapter 575 of the Acts of 1961 extended provisions of the Aid to Dependent Children program to persons eligible for Aid under an amendment to the Social Security Act. This provides aid to children of unemployed parents. Assistance under this program shall be provided to children whose parents are unemployed when such parents un-

employment compensation benefits have become exhausted or when such parents are ineligible for benefits because of insufficient coverage or not having worked in covered employment. Parents who are unemployed by reason of being discharged (fired) for good cause or leaving their employment without good cause are not eligible for this program.

Effective on June 1, 1961 Chapter 127 of the Acts of 1961 amended both the Old Age Assistance and Disability Assistance Laws. In Old Age Assistance, citizenship and additional residence for non-citizens were removed as eligibility factors. In Disability Assistance the age of eligibility is limited to the age established by the Social Security Administration for Old Age Assistance, therefore, persons sixty-five years of age or older are no longer eligible for Disability Assistance.

Effective on July 1, 1961 a revision of the Standards of Assistance in which a formula based on net earnings in determining the contribution of employed children in Aid to Dependent Children was established.

Effective on July 1, 1961 a revision of the Rest Home Rate was made, previous rate was \$25.00 per week this was changed to \$4.25 per diem.

Effective on August 29, 1961 Chapter 615 of the Acts of 1961 provides that a recipient of Old Age Assistance and Medical Assistance to the Aged may obtain prescribed drugs and medicines at a pharmacy of their choice.

Effective on October 1, 1961 revisions of the Medical Care Plan were made, they were, a revised fee schedule on the Home Care Medical Program, a new schedule showing agencies authorized to recommend hearing aids, a revised schedule for Visiting Nurse Associations, a revised fee schedule for ambulance rates, a revised fee schedule for rehabilitation clinics.

STATISTICAL INFORMATION

APPLICATIONS	OAA	MAA	ADC	DA	GR	Totals
Pending Dec. 31, 1960	2	4	3	0	0	9
Received during 1961	27	30	18	14	34	123
Approved	23	24	16	6	24	93
Denied	4	8	4	7	10	33
Pending Dec. 31, 1961	2	2	1	1	0	6
CASES	OAA	MAA	ADC	DA	GR	Totals
Active on Dec. 31, 1960	119	25	19	17	9	189
Cases added in 1961	23	24	16	6	24	93
Total cases active in 1961	142	49	35	23	33	282
Cases closed in 1961	21	15	10	3	26	75
Active on Dec. 31, 1961	121	34	25	20	7	207

The following medical care needs were provided in addition to the regular direct grants.

748 days of total care in general hospitals.	68 persons received dental care needed.
2515 days of total care in chronic hospitals.	78 persons received out-patient care.
617 home visits by physicians of choice.	61 persons received eye care needed.
447 office visits by physicians of choice.	254 visits by visiting nurses in the home.
8249 days of nursing home care.	

The necessary drugs and medication as prescribed by the physician of choice, also the ancillary care and other services as needed.

EXPENDITURES 1961

	OAA	MAA	ADC	DA	GR	TOTALS
1) Direct Payments -----	\$ 79,885.83	\$ 2,713.30	\$41,816.62	\$12,255.71	\$3,499.30	\$140,170.76
General Hospitalization -----	7,067.99	4,859.74	1,166.22	1,104.54	1,119.22	15,317.71
Chronic Hospitalization -----	159.94	9,589.22	0	5,452.50	947.50	16,149.16
Physicians Home Visits -----	1,915.00	765.00	41.00	285.00	40.00	3,046.00
Physicians Home Visits -----	749.00	48.00	326.00	168.00	135.00	1,426.00
Nursing Home Care -----	309.03	50,463.25	0	0	0	50,772.28
Drugs -----	9,318.23	3,933.06	910.79	1,275.82	643.11	16,081.01
Dental Care -----	498.00	42.00	1,715.00	0	145.00	2,400.00
Out-Patient Care -----	95.55	4.00	107.15	0	102.55	309.25
Eye Care -----	627.50	118.75	173.50	48.00	14.00	981.75
Visiting Nurse Care -----	741.00	0	0	0	21.00	762.00
Ancillary Services -----	409.65	230.55	21.05	42.00	38.20	741.45
Burial -----	0	200.00	0	0	0	200.00
Other -----	432.75	240.79	161.00	70.10	1.05	905.69
Other Cities and Towns -----	2,774.25	0	0	0	319.42	3,093.67
4) Maintenance -----	0	0	0	0	926.48	926.48
TOTALS -----	\$104,983.72	\$73,207.66	\$46,438.33	\$20,701.67	\$7,951.83	\$253,283.21

1) Direct Payments are cash payments for basic budget items such as food, housing, fuel, light, clothing, household supplies and replacements, personal care, insurance, leisure time activities, transportation allowance and special diets.

2) Ancillary Services are those services provided by podiatrists, chiropodists, physiotherapists and nurses other than the visiting nurses.

3) Other are payments such as x-rays, laboratory tests, prosthetic appliances, orthopedic services including shoes, and sick room equipment.

4) Maintenance payments are payments for food, fuel and clothing given under emergency conditions or where there is a question of the proper use of a cash payment.

RECEIPTS 1961

	OAA	MAA	ADC	DA	GR	TOTALS
Federal Reimbursement	\$ 63,968.68	\$38,453.37	\$21,566.50	\$ 8,836.10	\$ 0	\$132,824.74
Federal Share of Recoveries	2,565.04	4.00	0	0	0	2,569.04
State Reimbursement	21,884.23	23,643.39	11,693.92	5,722.13	1,808.20	64,751.87
State Share of Recoveries	2,503.31	2.67	78.04	0	0	2,584.02
Local Share of Recoveries	1,251.67	1.33	156.09	0	0	1,409.09
Other Cities and Towns	4,016.40	0	0	0	3,073.13	7,089.53
Old Age Meals Tax	6,367.50	0	0	0	0	6,367.50
TOTALS	\$102,556.83	\$62,104.76	\$33,494.55	\$14,558.32	\$4,881.33	\$217,595.79

REFUNDS, RECOVERIES AND CANCELLATIONS

	TOTALS	FEDERAL SHARE	STATE SHARE	LOCAL SHARE	RET. TO ACCOUNT	UNDISTRIBUTED	RET. TO ADMIN.
Old Age Assistance	\$19,014.27	\$2,565.04	\$2,503.31	\$1,251.67	\$ 409.65	\$12,124.60	\$160.00
Medical Assistance to the Aged	58.52	4.00	2.67	1.33	10.80	39.72	0
Disability Assistance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Aid to Dependent Children	8,621.23	0	78.04	156.09	8,348.85	38.25	0
General Relief	10.90	0	0	0	10.90	0	0
TOTALS	\$27,704.92	\$2,569.04	\$2,584.02	\$1,409.09	\$8,780.20	\$12,202.57	\$160.00

ADMINISTRATION

The staff of the Public Assistance Agency is composed of a Director, two Social Workers and two Junior-Clerk-Typists, all employed full time. The past year it was necessary to employ one Junior-Clerk-Typist temporary for thirty days.

ADMINISTRATION EXPENDITURES 1961

Staff Salaries	\$23,891.40
Board Members Salaries	900.00
Travel Allowance	1,236.25
Postage	657.40
Electric Light and Power	150.88
Telephone	539.01
Equipment Repairs and Alterations	195.70
Fuel	380.80
Printing	142.45
Stationery Supplies and Forms	226.03
Equipment Purchases	367.40
Memberships	40.00
Appraisals	110.00
TOTAL	\$28,837.32

REIMBURSEMENTS 1961

	OAA	MAA	ADC	DA	TOTALS
Federal	\$5,807.18	\$1,629.58	\$4,796.69	\$1,127.59	\$13,361.04
State	3,023.28	814.78	2,447.68	563.79	6,849.53
From Recoveries	160.00	0	0	0	160.00
TOTAL	\$8,990.46	\$2,444.36	\$7,244.37	\$1,691.38	\$20,370.57

We trust this information will assist your Board of Public Welfare and the Townspeople to better understand the activity of the programs of Public Assistance.

The staff of this agency wish to express their appreciation for the many courtesies extended them throughout the past year from the many public and private charitable organizations both civic, religious and service organizations. During the past year they have made many contributions which assisted this agency to provide services to many of our people.

We wish to thank the Board of Public Welfare for their many considerations during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES B. TAYLOR, Director
Department of Public Welfare
Dracut, Massachusetts.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

To the Voters of Dracut:

The following represents the facilities of the Health Department made available to Dracut residents for the past year.

Health Program—Ste. Therese's School:

Physical examinations given to grades one, four, and eight, were given physical examinations. Forty-nine physical defects were found and parents notified.

Massachusetts Vision Test:

Children tested	350
Referred to eye specialist	9

Audiometer Test:

Children tested	350
Referred to Otologist	4

Grades one through six weighed and measured.

Tuberculosis Control:

House Visits	18
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Immunization Clinics:

Total number of clinics	9
Polio clinics, children and adults innoculated	796
Diphtheria, tetanus, whooping cough, children innoculated	84
Small pox vaccinations	75

Communicable Diseases reported during 1961:

Dog bites	26
Measles	4
Scarlet Fever	3
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	2
Salomonella	2
Typhoid Fever	1

Miss Eleanor Chesley, Dental Hygienist for the Massachusetts Department of Public Health conducted a Dental Screening Program of grades 1-3-5, (594 children). Evaluation of the program showed there is a high rate dental caries prevalence. We are hopeful that the continuation of this program, (grades 2-4-6) in the spring, will show that a high percentage of Dental Certificates have been returned to the nurse.

Respectfully submitted,

RITA O'CONNOR, R.N.
Board of Health Nurse

REPORT OF THE VETERANS' AGENT

Hon. Board of Selectmen,
Town of Dracut,
Dracut, Mass.

Gentlemen:

The work load has again increased over the preceding year, but we have been able to stay within the budget allocated.

The help from the various government hospitals and agencies have made this possible.

It is only natural that we can expect an increase in the work-load as more and more veterans earn settlement in the town.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR C. GUNTHER
Veteran's Agent

REPORT OF THE BUILDING INSPECTOR

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit my annual report of the year ending December 31, 1961.

Permits Issued:

No.	Description	Estimated Cost
138	Single dwellings	\$721,500.00
2	Two-family dwellings	20,000.00
7	Camps	28,000.00
1	Store	10,000.00
1	Commercial garage	10,000.00
37	Private garages	17,400.00
59	Alterations	63,800.00
6	Sheds	1,000.00
2	Clubs	50,700.00
1	Gas Station	5,000.00
1	Restaurant	10,000.00
4	Other Essential	5,000.00

Respectfully submitted,

DONAT T. DAIGLE
Building Inspector

REPORT OF THE VETERAN'S WAR MEMORIAL COMMITTEE

To the Dracut Townspeople, We Herewith Submit Our Report:

This past year the War Memorial Committee has spent considerable time verifying the names of those veterans who died in the service during the war.

At the present all names have been certified but three. We are now awaiting word from official sources in Washington on those three names. As soon as this verification is forwarded we will be prepared to go ahead with the installation of the plaque on the monument.

Respectfully submitted,

NICKOLAS LAMBROS
CY CARBONNEAU
THOMAS P. NERNEY

REPORT OF THE PLUMBING INSPECTOR

Board of Selectmen,
Town Hall,
Dracut, Massachusetts.

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit my report as Plumbing Inspector for the year ending December 31, 1961.

Permits	No.	Fee
Single Homes	138	\$734.50
Two Family Homes	5	28.00
Remodeling & Additions	22	78.00
Stores	6	30.50
Washing Machines	4	8.00
Water Heaters Gas & Electric	9	18.00
Schools	1	2.00
Factories	1	5.00
Warehouses	1	5.00
Laundromat	1	5.00
Dishwashers	1	2.00
Clubs	1	7.00
Drinking Fountains	1	2.00
	<hr/> 191	<hr/> \$925.00

Respectfully submitted,

ARCHIBALD D. THOMS
Plumbing Inspector

REPORT OF THE WIRE INSPECTOR

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The following report shows the breakdown of wiring permits issued during the year 1961:

No. of Permits	Fee	Detail	Total Fees
14	\$10.00	200 AMP Service	\$ 140.00
129	5.00	100 AMP Service	645.00
215	2.00	Service Change, additional wiring	430.00
1	14.00	300 AMP Service	14.00
5	30.00	Annual & commercial major wiring permits	150.00
			<hr/> \$1,445.00

Respectfully submitted,

CHRISTOS C. MALONIS
Wire Inspector

REPORT OF THE GAS INSPECTOR

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit my report from May 5, 1961 through December 31, 1961.

No. of Permits	Description	Total Fees
86	Single dwellings	\$172.00
3	Two-family dwellings	6.00
1	Store	2.00
1	Commercial garage	2.00
1	Restaurant	2.00
1	Laundromat	2.00
		<hr/> \$186.00

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT GOOKIN
Gas Inspector

REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

During the year ending December 31, 1961, seventy-one herds of live-stock were inspected and the reports filed with the state authorities. Sixty-seven dogs were quarantined on dog bite notices, and reports following quarantine were duly filed with State authorities.

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERICK ELIE
Inspector of Animals

REPORT OF THE DOG OFFICER

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The following represents the detail work of this office from the time of my appointment May 4th through December 31, 1961.

Number of dogs caught	65
Number of dogs confined	56
Number of dogs destroyed	86
Number of dogs sold	7
Number of dogs to medical school	54

All residents are reminded that dogs three months of age must be licensed by the Town Clerk.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR CHARBONNEAU

Dog Officer

REPORT OF THE TREE WARDEN, MOTH SUPERINTENDENT, AND SUPERINTENDENT OF PARKS & PLAYGROUNDS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

A total of 97 trees were removed and 26 stumps taken out under the supervision of the Tree Warden during the year ending December 31, 1961. Hangers along the roadway were cleared and removed from live trees by this department. During the year there were 47 new trees reset throughout the town.

The Moth Department supervised an aerial spraying of woodlands, particularly lowland and bog areas, for gypsy tent caterpillars. Three ground sprays by truck along the roadways were carried out for pest control. Poison ivy spraying was handled by this department, and innumerable calls from Dracut residents for this service were carried out.

The Parks and Playgrounds Department maintained all town playgrounds and public parks during the year just ended, including maintenance of 7 baseball diamonds located on the 4 playgrounds of the town. This department also installed a new backstop at Intervale Park in Kenwood, a new backstop and set of swings at Carrick Field in the Collinsville section.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIE DAIGLE

Superintendent

REPORT OF THE RECREATION COMMISSION

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The Dracut recreation commission herewith submits to the citizens of Dracut its summary report of community recreational activities for the year 1961.

A lot of time and work was put in the baseball program which comprised a total of 23 teams. The ages ranged from 7 to 15, these games were supervised league competition. All teams with the exception of the Pee Wee players were outfitted in baseball uniforms. The recreation commission wishes to publicly thank the generosity and cooperation of business and fraternal organizations that contributed financial support to the task of outfitting the baseball teams.

A girls softball team functioned successfully with five teams participating, this part of program to grow in the future.

A bowling schedule for girls again was arranged, as previous years the girls participating tripled in number.

On July 29th, a trip to Fenway Park was made by bus, but due to bad weather the game was called off in the second inning. About four hundred boys and girls made the trip.

Award night under the auspices of the recreation commission was held August 26th. Individual and team awards were made in the High School Auditorium after the youngsters had enjoyed a buffet luncheon in the High School Cafeteria. The food being donated by a local store. The night was completed by five acts of vaudeville. The recreation commission wishes to publicly thank the adults who helped to make award night a memorable occasion for all the young people.

The Halloween party is now under the supervision of the recreation commission. We are very happy to report that the events sponsored by the commission have resulted in a minimum of vandalism throughout the town. The Dracut Police Department has given us full cooperation on this night. A party for the younger children was held at the Grange Hall and a Teen Age Dance at the Greenmont Avenue, School.

In planning the program for 1962, the commission has spent many hours setting up a program and making it available to every boy and girl in Town.

We have asked for an increase in our budget to expand our program for the year 1962. We are planning something new, a Junior Football Program. We would like to start with four teams if possible.

In conclusion the members of the recreation commission wish to thank all those who contributed in any way to make this program a success.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. AGNES VINAL, Chairman

PAUL COPP, Secretary

MAX LUDWIG, Treasurer

Paul Merrill

Rita Green

Ernest Machado

Harry Greaves

William Robitaille

Chester Norton

Robert Garton

Maurice Doucette

REPORT OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

To The Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

Submitted herewith is the report of the operations of the Dracut Fire Department for the year 1961.

The total of 287 calls for fires, emergencies and assistance is divided as follows:—Of a total of 46 building fires, 31 were in dwellings, which is an increase in both the number of building fires, and the number of fires in dwellings over 1960. Other calls were to Churches—1; Schools—1; Multiple Apartments—1; Industrial Building—1; Laundromat—1; Barns—2; Camps—2; Garages—2; Sheds—2; Chicken Shelters—2; Assembly Hall—1; Public Conveyance Bus—1; Trucks—3; Station Wagon—1; Trailer—1; Auto's—16; Bulldozer—1; Lumber pile—1; Hay Piles—2; Brush—53; Grass—58; Dump—9; Rubbish—11; Sprinkler Alarm—1; Public Emergency Assistance in accidents and drownings, overtipped trucks, collisions, persons locked out of homes with infants inside, State Highway assistance, persons lost in heavily wooded area, first aid rendered—32; Resuscitator calls—5; Mutual Aid to Lowell and Pelham, N.H.—7; Out-of-Town Parades—2; False Alarms—6; Smoke and Dynamite investigations—13; Complaints investigated and action taken—14; Manning all stations during test air raid alert—1.

Permits to burn trash or to have other outdoor fires were issued to 423 persons, and were issued only under safe burning conditions. Oil storage permits issued in 1961 were 43. Blasting permits issued totaled 11; Fireworks permits—2. State Laws require a security bond to be posted before the issuance of either fireworks or blasting permits.

During the year a fire safety inspection as required by State Law was conducted in all Public Buildings, Nursing Homes, Night Clubs, Restaurants, Stores, Assembly Halls, Industrial and Manufacturing Plants, Filling Stations, the U. S. Post Office, Churches and Church property, Public and Private Schools. During these inspections all exits, door hardware, heating equipment, fuel storage, fire doors and the number and type of extinguishers were checked.

The quarterly fire drill in all schools, public and private, was conducted during fire prevention week, with the following results:

Date—October 9, 1961; and October 10, 1961.

Dracut High School

A wing	550	1 min. 16 sec.
B wing	550	1 min. 37 sec.
C wing	176	1 min. 30 sec.
Kindergarten and Greenmont Ave.—5th & 6th grades	600	1 min. 17 sec.
Dracut Center—1st & 2nd grades	120	50 sec.
Kenwood—1st, 2nd, 3rd, grades	135	45 sec.

Collinsville—1st & 2nd grades	241	50 sec.
Parker Avenue—3rd & 4th grades	358	39 sec.
Goodhue—1st & 2nd grades	91	47 sec.
Ste. Therese's—grades 1-8	390	28 sec.

For the benefit of homes with invalids or handicapped persons the fire department has attractive stickers to be placed on the outside door of such homes, and the inside doors of the invalid's bedroom, so that in case of fire or other emergency an immediate rescue could be effected if necessary. A call to the fire department is all that is necessary, giving the address, and all information is kept confidential.

Increasing the efficiency of the department was the installation of a new radio system furnished by the Motorola Corporation, and the delivery of a 750 GPM Class "A" Combination FWD Pumper and equipment furnished by the Farrar Co. as required by the New England Insurance Rating association.

On Wednesday, March 8, 1961 the Chief and Capt. Anthony Sosnowy attended a special air craft security course conducted at Hanscom Air Base, and on Saturday, November 4th a group of ten firefighters attended an all-day training session on air craft crash rescue and extinguishment under the supervision of Chief James S. Gallagher of the Cambridge Research Center.

Every Wednesday night throughout the year Get-togethers for all members of the department are conducted, and include such subjects as first aid reviews by Stephen Ashton of the American Red Cross, Pumping Drills, Ladder Drills, Use of Scott Air Pacs and Resuscitators, Map Research and layout, Checking all hydrants and water holes, and the latest methods of fire extinguishment.

The department is endeavoring to have a number on every building on every street so they can be quickly and easily located without loss of time. Anyone desiring assistance in obtaining a number may call the fire department or Board of Assessors.

On April 1, 1961 four firefighters were put on regular daytime duty in Station 1, Pleasant Street. This relieves somewhat the shortage of call men on daytimes, and enables the department to get men and apparatus to the scene of an emergency in any part of the Town in a very few minutes. However, your call men still have to be relied upon to man additional apparatus and answer all calls after 5 P.M.

Station 1 has been repaired and renovated by the regular men in their spare time to make it comfortable and habitable, such as adding additional plumbing and a kitchenette, and then completely repainted.

The slight increase in the fire department budget for 1962 is to take care of the salaries of the regular men for a twelve month period in 1962

instead of nine months as in 1961. Due to the rapid growth of the Town and the increasing number of requests for fire department services, the citizens should, in the very near future, consider having full time fire-fighters around the clock, and provide sufficient means to maintain such a program.

Considerable time could be saved in placing fire calls if the fire department number—Glenview 3-5864 is dialed direct.

My thanks is extended to the Police Chief and the members of his department for their cooperation and assistance, and to the other departments and the citizens of the Town for their assistance during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

ERNEST H. GUNTHER, JR.
Fire Chief and Forest Warden

REPORT OF SEALER OF WEIGHTS & MEASURES

Town of Dracut
Honorable Board of Selectmen
Dracut, Mass.

Gentlemen:

The following is a detail of work completed by me from January 1, 1961 through December 31, 1961.

Scales, over 10,000 lbs.	2
Scales, 5,000 to 10,000 lbs.	1
Scales, 100 to 5,000 lbs.	14
Scales, under 100 lbs.	41
Weights	2
Meters, one inch or less	56
Bulk storage	9
Measuring Device, Grease	15

140

Respectfully submitted,

D. RUSSELL DEVANNY
Sealer of Weights & Measures

REPORT OF THE PLANNING BOARD

To the Voters of the Town of Dracut:

The Planning Board has met regularly each month during the past year, and in addition numerous special meetings were scheduled for the purpose of conducting public hearings or in joint session with the Board of Selectmen, Industrial Commission, Board of Assessors, and Highway Surveyor.

These joint meetings have produced the following actions:

1. Action on the condition existing at the approaches to, and the rapidly deteriorating and unsafe bridge over the Beaver Brook. This meeting produced the recommendation that an article be placed in the Warrant requesting funds to hire an engineering firm to submit plans for relocating, repair, or replacement of the present structure.

2. Joint session with the Industrial Commission to discuss the Economic & Industrial Development survey to be undertaken by the Industrial Commission under the Federal Title VII Program. This contract was unanimously approved by the Planning Board in line with its endeavor to cover all phases of a town master plan.

3. Enforcement of the performance bond requirement. This meeting resulted in a reappraisal of the current requirements, and a meeting with Town Counsel Francis Lappin has resulted in complete review of present planning board requirements for subdividers.

These are but a few of the many items which have come before the membership of the Planning Board during 1961. Already scheduled for the coming year is a meeting with Rep. John Brox and a member of the Department of Public Works, at which time all interested boards and public officials are to be invited to discuss the possibility of a new road to provide access to Routes 93 and 3 and give impetus to business and industrial development of the Town. This meeting is jointly sponsored by the Planning Board and Industrial Commission.

Town Planning embraces many varied matters, and this Board stands ready to assist Dracut residents in making a town of which we may all be proud.

Respectfully submitted,

DEXTER L. DUTNEY, Chairman
BRYANT L. KIRBY
ANGUS HULSLANDER
ANDREW G. TARDIFF
OMER LAFONTAINE
J. EDWARD CALKINS
ARTHUR C. ELDRIDGE
JAMES KIERNAN
DANIEL MURPHY

REPORT OF THE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The Industrial Development Commission has met regularly during the past year.

Two major items faced this Commission at the beginning of the year—a proper survey of the town's potential industrial growth, and the desire to see proper access to the super highways on either side of the town.

The first item—a complete Industrial & Economic Development survey will shortly begin, with the funds which the Town Meeting of 1961 voted, together with the additional of monies from the Federal authorities allocated under the Title VII program, approved by the Dracut Planning Board. This survey will concentrate entirely on the Town's Industrial potential, and will require several months of activity by the membership of this Commission with its consulting firm.

Item number two, namely the access road to Routes 3 and 93 has long been an item of concern to this Commission, the Planning Board and other Town Officers. To this end a conference with Rep. Brox and officials of the Dept. of Public Works is scheduled shortly after the first of the new year to discuss this all important matter. A road which may open the door to future industrial and business growth is an absolute necessity in the opinion of this Commission and this meeting is of the utmost importance.

The Industrial Commission welcomes the new trucking terminal constructed during the past year, and members of this Commission assisted the owners in securing this location.

Again the membership of this Commission wishes to stress the fact that bringing new business and industry into our town requires the efforts and cooperation of all interested Dracut residents, this group stands ready to assist in any and all ways, but only the determined endeavors of all citizens can result in securing these vital new industries, so necessary to the overall tax base of the town.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM MESSENHEIMER, Chairman
JUSTIN T. BELANGER
FRANK K. BRYANT
H. JOSEPH COTE
JOSEPH CORBIN
JOHN E. CAMPBELL
WALTER S. KOWALSKI
HUBERT McANESPIE
EUGENE D. LITCHFIELD
NORMAN MULLEN
COSTAS PSOINOS

REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

William H. Bromley, Chairman
Hon. Board of Selectmen
Dracut, Massachusetts

Dear Sir:

I hereby submit a report of the Dracut Police Department for the year, beginning January 1st, and ending December 31st, 1961.

Annual report to the Department of Correction	1
Annual report to the Department of Justice	1
Arrests made	135
Assistance given to other Police Officials, number of occasions	39
Attendance at the East Cambridge Superior Court	39
Attendance at the Lowell District Court	69
Automobile accidents reported	245
Automobiles towed to garages	149
Calls received at the Police Station	3,051
Complaints received and answered	1,836
Doors & Windows found unlocked in store, schools, garages, etc.	130
Drownings	3
Fatal accidents (traffic)	0
Firearms & Air Rifles confiscated	10
Fires, responded to	50
Homes checked during owner's absence	1,080
Lost children found & returned to parents	6
Monthly reports to the Department of Justice	12
Motor vehicle licenses restored	44
Motor vehicle licenses revoked	27
Motor vehicle licenses suspended	88
Patients admitted to the Worcester State Hospital	10
Persons found dead from natural causes	8
Persons reported missing	3
Persons reported missing, found or located	2
Persons removed to hospitals	195
Revolvers registered	4
Stolen cars recovered in Dracut	27
Stolen cars reported stolen in Dracut	9
Subpoenas & Summonses served for other Police Departments	501
Transfers of motor vehicles by dealers	488
Transfers of motor vehicles by individuals	71
Value of property recovered by Police	\$11,595.40

Respectfully submitted,

WILFRED PAQUETTE

Chief of Police

Dracut, Massachusetts

CRIMINAL CASES IN DISTRICT AND SUPERIOR COURTS

Acting as a dealer in junk without being licensed	1
Assault & battery	5
Assault & battery with a dangerous weapon	1
Absent without leave from a mental hospital	2
Breaking & entering in the nighttime & larceny	9
Breaking glass	2
Disposal of rubbish on a public way	1
Drunkenness	41
Escape from Lyman School	1
Escape from mental hospital	3
Failing to make out accident report	1
Fraudulent concealing of leased property	1
Larceny	10
Leaving the scene of an accident after causing property damages	2
Malicious injury to public utilities	1
Non-support	8
Open & gross lewdness	2
Operating a motor vehicle so as endanger the lives & safety of the public	1
Operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol	12
Operating a motor vehicle without a license	1
Operating a motor vehicle without authority after suspension of right to operate	1
Possession of loaded shot gun in motor vehicle	1
Rape	1
Receiving stolen goods	2
Safe-keeping	7
Speeding	2
Threatening	1
Unlawful use of motor vehicle	3
Violation of probation	7
Violation of Town Ordinance	5
Arrests made	135

These cases in court represent the number of persons arrested, against whom are recorded the most serious charges. Additional charges have been placed against some of these individual persons.

For example, a person might be charged with: Drunkenness, Operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol and operating a motor vehicle without a license, in which case, only the most serious charge: operating a vehicle under the influence of alcohol, is recorded as the case in court.

ROSTER OF POLICE OFFICERS, 1961

Regular Officers

Wilfred A. Paquette, Chief

Arthur L. White, Capt.	Joseph A. Delisle, Patr., Died 10/30/61
George W. Watson, Lieut.	Powell A. Fraser, Patr.
Raymond P. Daigle, Sergt.	Raoul J. Lefebvre, Patr.
Eugene J. Paquette, Sergt.	Alfred F. Handley, Patr.
Charles K. Panageotopoulos, Sergt.	Alfred J. Araskiewicz, Patr.
	Apt. 12/7/61

Intermittent Police Officers

Harold Merrill, I.S.

Robert Angluin	Joseph Hughes	Gerard Sevigny
Joseph Campbell	John Machado	Clifford Southworth
Arthur Charbonneau	Samuel Marsden	John Tobin
Gerard Couture	Edward Mello	Robert Tyrrell
Lorenzo Delisle	Frederick Murphy	Arnold Whitworth
Anthony Dirocco	Edward Normandin	Mathew Zagorski
James Drury	Francis Paquette	John Zaleski
Rene Dupont	Robert Paquin	Stanley Zube
James Gookin	Raymond Rowe	

Special Police Officers

Alfred Beaulieu	James Fortier	Morris McGrath
Harold Borghi	Arthur Gamache	William McKinnon
Joseph Burk	Lester Garrett	Robert Neary
Peter Casper	Thomas Graves	Louis Normandin
George Cassidy	Charles Green	Alex Panageotopoulos
Edward Chaplin	John Harrington	Mitchell Pietryka
Charles Colitses	Arthur Healey	Edgar Ruest
John Dickinson	Raymond Horman	Rudolphe St. Pierre
Donato Dirocco	John King	Herman Silva
Donato Dirocco, Jr.	Rudolph Kozera	David Thomas
Richard Dube	Raymond Levesque	Charles Tsouprakis
Paul Emond	Roland Mailloux	

Police Women

Mrs. Dena Colburn

Mrs. Agnes Vinal

REPORT OF THE TOWN ACCOUNTANT

To the Citizens of the Town of Dracut:

I present herewith the annual report of the Town of Dracut for the year 1961.

I certify as to the correctness of the accounts of the Town and the vouchers for all payments, the financial condition of the Town and all matters within my department.

This report shows a list of all receipts and expenditures for the year 1961 and includes a Balance Sheet showing the financial condition of the Town at the close of the year.

Respectfully submitted,

DANIEL C. HANSON
Town Accountant.

RECEIPTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1961

TAXES:

Current Year:

Property	\$1,061,016.55
Poll	6,724.00

Previous Years:

Property	44,153.35
Poll	284.00

Other Local:

Tax Title Redemptions	549.39
Farm Animal Excise	391.83
Lieu of Taxes	2,172.69

From State:

Income:	
Valuation Basis	14,112.00
Education Basis	153,771.96
Corporation	43,145.61

\$1,326,321.38

LICENSES AND PERMITS:

Licenses:

Alcoholic Beverage	10,464.00
All Other	2,139.05

Permits:

Huckster and Peddler (State)	36.00
Pistol	132.00

\$ 12,771.05

FINES AND FORFEITS:

Court Fines	\$	\$	53.32
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GRANTS AND GIFTS:

Grants from Federal Government:

Old Age Assistance	69,775.85
Medical Aid for Aged	40,082.95
Dependent Children	26,363.19
Disability Assistance	9,963.78
School Lunches	25,556.79
Public Law 874	34,876.00
National Defense Act	1,331.46

Grants from State:

Old Age Assistance	6,367.50
Vocational Education	2,831.01
High School Transportation	54,189.44
School Building Aid	49,750.00
Highway Chapter 81	27,486.56
Library	2,871.54

Grants from County:

Dog Fund	3,012.36
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\$ 354,458.44

ALL OTHER GENERAL REVENUE:

Sale of Tax Possession Property	1,120.68
Cancelled Checks	1,320.67

\$ 2,441.35

PRIVILEGES:

Motor Vehicle Excise	\$	\$	206,516.04
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DEPARTMENTAL:

General Government:

Selectmen	357.00
Planning Board	166.63
Appeal Board	140.00

\$ 663.63

Public Safety:

Inspection:

Buildings & Storage Spaces	3,043.00
Wires	1,413.00
Sealing of Weights & Measures	148.55

Other Protection of Persons & Property:

Dog Officer	4.00
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\$ 4,608.55

Health & Sanitation:

Health:

Tuberculosis including State Subsidies	94.28
Polio Inoculation Fees	187.00

Inspection:

Plumbing	926.50
Gas	190.00

\$ 1,397.78

Highways:

Reimbursement from State and County \$ 27,739.81

Miscellaneous:

Machinery Rental	2,289.75
Other	45.00

\$ 30,074.56

Public Welfare:

Reimbursement for Relief:

From Cities & Towns	3,073.13
From State	1,808.20

Reimbursement for Old Age Assistance:

From Individuals	16,355.42
From Cities & Towns	4,016.40
From State	24,907.52

Reimbursement Medical Aid for Aged:

From Individuals	47.72
From State	24,458.17

Reimbursement for Aid to Dependent Children:

From Individuals	8,157.65
From State	13,567.23

Reimbursement for Disability Assistance:

From State	6,285.92
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\$ 102,677.36

Veterans' Services:

Reimbursement for Relief:

From Individuals	\$ 1,193.20
From State	16,140.11

\$ 17,333.31

Schools:		
Tuition, Transportation, State Wards	5,665.25	
Tuition (Nearby Towns)	6,535.00	
Sale of Text Books	191.11	
Miscellaneous:		
School Athletics Accounts	3,889.53	
School Lunches	64,343.74	
Fire Loss	2,568.00	
		\$ 83,192.63
Unclassified:		
Property Damage Claims	1,161.68	
Taxes on Tax Title Sales	48.70	
Tax Title Redemption Releases and Costs	51.97	
		\$ 1,262.35
Cemetery:		
Sale of Lots	2.00	
Perpetual Care Fund	20.00	
		\$ 22.00
INTEREST:		
On Deposits	\$ 2,193.96	
On Deferred Taxes	1,815.54	
On Investment Funds	7,237.70	
On Public Trust Funds:		
School	359.76	
Library	172.57	
Cemetery	279.04	
All Other	337.50	
		\$ 12,396.07
MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS:		
Anticipation of Revenue Loans		\$ 300,000.00
AGENCY AND TRUST:		
Agency:		
Dog Licenses for the County	2,878.00	
Trust:		
Private Trust Funds:		
Federal Withholding Tax	125,637.86	
Mass. Withholding Tax	10,483.86	
Blue Cross & Blue Shield withholdings	8,872.07	
Insurance Withholdings	1,218.62	
Retirement Withholdings	14,257.45	
		\$ 163,347.86
REFUNDS:		
General Departments		\$ 1,170.58

PAYMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1961

MODERATOR

Payments	\$ 50.00	Appropriation	\$ 50.00
Services as Moderator			\$ 40.00
Expenses			10.00

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Payments	\$ 6,271.32	Appropriation	\$ 6,300.00
Unexpended	28.68		

\$ 6,300.00

Salaries of Selectmen	\$ 1,650.00
Clerk Hire	2,554.65
Use of Automobiles	587.90
Delivering Town Reports	150.00
Expenses	44.55
Postage & Supplies	208.91
Advertising	180.36
Telephone	259.20
Printing	500.00
Equipment & Equipment Maintenance	66.75
Dues	69.00

ACCOUNTANT

Payments	\$ 4,515.00	Appropriation	\$ 4,515.00
Salary of Accountant			\$ 4,315.00
Supplies			38.04
Telephone			91.20
Furnishings Maintenance			26.76
Equipment Rental			39.00
Dues			5.00

TREASURER

Payments	\$ 5,868.69	Appropriation	\$ 5,915.00
Unexpended	46.31		

\$ 5,915.00

Salary of Treasurer	\$ 4,315.00
Clerk Hire	564.00
Use of Automobile	260.00
Expenses	5.00
Supplies & Postage	310.65
Telephone	108.20
Furnishings & Equip. Maintenance	87.34
Bond	210.50
Dues	6.00
Certify Note	2.00

TOWN OF DRACUT

TAX COLLECTOR

Payments	\$ 10,325.35	Appropriation	\$ 10,800.00
Unexpended	474.65		

\$ 10,800.00

Salary of Collector	\$ 4,200.00
Clerk Hire	3,413.00
Use of Automobile	128.00
Supplies	840.90
Postage	849.60
Telephone	77.80
Printing	71.45
Insurance & Bonds	459.85
Equipment & Rentals	155.00
Advertising	51.75
Dues	6.00
Preparing Tax Title Deeds	36.00
Recording Tax Title Deeds	36.00

BOARD OF ASSESSORS

Payments	\$ 14,163.17	Appropriation	\$ 14,285.00
Unexpended	121.83		

\$ 14,285.00

Salaries of Assessors	\$ 12,645.00
Use of Automobiles	210.00
Expenses	110.35
Supplies	534.12
Telephone	179.20
Furnishings & Equip. Maintenance	172.50
Professional Services	300.00
Dues	12.00

TOWN CLERK

Payments	\$ 2,765.56	Appropriation	\$ 3,084.00
Unexpended	318.44		

\$ 3,084.00

Salary of Town Clerk	\$ 1,300.00
Clerk Hire	755.00
Use of Automobile	8.00
Administering Oaths	55.00
Supplies & Postage	442.36
Telephone	115.35
Advertising	33.75
Equipment Maintenance	28.60
Insurance & Bonds	10.00
Dues	17.50

PLANNING BOARD

Payments	\$	380.50	Appropriation	\$	500.00
Unexpended		119.50			
		<u> </u>			
	\$	500.00			
Clerk Hire	\$	250.00			
Postage		40.56			
Expenses		23.90			
Legal Fees		4.54			
Advertising		61.50			

BOARD OF APPEALS

Payments	\$	230.06	Appropriation	\$	400.00
Unexpended		169.94			
		<u> </u>			
	\$	400.00			
Clerk Hire	\$	112.00			
Postage & Supplies		41.56			
Advertising		76.50			

INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION

Payments	\$	34.75	Appropriation	\$	500.00
Unexpended		465.25			
		<u> </u>			
	\$	500.00			
Supplies & Postage	\$	13.75			
Expenses		21.00			

MASTER PLAN

Unexpended	\$	2,734.84	1960 Balance	\$	2,734.84
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TITLE 7 HOUSING ACT OF 1954

Payments	\$	1,500.00	Appropriation	\$	1,500.00
State Assessment				\$	1,500.00

ZONING MAP

Unexpended	\$	746.40	1960 Balance	\$	746.60
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CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Unexpended	\$	100.00	Appropriation	\$	100.00
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TOWN OF DRACUT

TOWN OFFICE

Payments	\$ 3,980.96	Appropriation	\$ 4,500.00
Unexpended	519.04		

\$ 4,500.00

Wages	\$ 1,413.30
Building Maintenance	577.07
Electricity	589.88
Fuel	897.68
Rent	140.00
Furnishings	215.95
Supplies	106.43
Water	40.65

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Payments	\$ 65,581.57	Appropriation	\$ 65,600.00
Unexpended	18.43		

\$ 65,600.00

Salaries & Wages of Chief & Regular Officers	\$ 44,220.40
Wages of Intermittent Officers	13,620.00
Maintenance & Operation of Cruisers	5,605.26
Care of Prisoners	86.00
Charge for Radio Service with Lowell	60.00
Telephone	366.10
Electricity for Traffic Lights	704.30
Dues	15.00
Supplies	415.74
Office Expense	110.21
Maintenance of Traffic Lights	80.49
Advertising	5.25
Professional Services & Other Wages	292.82

CHURCH POLICE

Payments	\$ 1,248.00	Appropriation	\$ 1,248.00
Wages of Officers			\$ 1,248.00

PURCHASE OF POLICE CRUISERS

Payments	\$ 2,895.04	Appropriation	\$ 3,900.00
Unexpended	1,004.96		

\$ 3,900.00

Net Cost of Two Cruisers	\$ 2,565.00
Cost of Transferring Equipment	266.05
Cost of Transferring Radios	63.99

PURCHASE OF POLICE UNIFORMS

Payments	\$ 997.80	Appropriation	\$ 1,000.00
Unexpended	2.20		
	<u>\$ 1,000.00</u>		
Cost of Uniforms		\$ 997.80	

DOG OFFICER

Payments	\$ 1,246.00	Appropriation	\$ 1,500.00
Unexpended	254.00		
	<u>\$ 1,500.00</u>		
Care of Dogs		\$ 903.00	
Destroying Dogs		240.00	
Answering Complaints		103.00	

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Payments	\$ 55,814.41	Appropriation	\$ 55,900.00
Unexpended	85.59		
	<u>\$ 55,900.00</u>		
Salaries of Chief and Deputy		\$ 8,949.00	
Wages of Firefighters		23,029.00	
Wages of Others		125.85	
Expenses		348.62	
Use of Automobiles		480.00	
Maintenance of Fire Alarm System		866.48	
Maintenance and Operation of Bldgs.		4,632.83	
Maintenance and Operation of Equip.		4,686.51	
Equipment and Supplies		3,191.79	
Fire Hose		6,800.50	
Maintenance of Radio Equipment		551.55	
Insurance on Firefighters		432.40	
Administration Expense		232.67	
Maintenance of Water Holes		227.50	
Utilities		713.45	
Office Maintenance and Supplies		546.26	

FIRE DEPARTMENT RADIOS

Payments	\$ 5,159.25	1960 Balance	\$ 11,000.00
Unexpended	5,840.75		
	<u>\$ 11,000.00</u>		
Cost of Radios		\$ 5,159.25	

TOWN OF DRACUT

PURCHASE OF FIRE TRUCK

Payments	\$ 18,485.00	1960 Balance	\$ 18,500.00
Unexpended	15.00		

\$ 18,500.00

Cost of Fire Truck \$ 18,485.00

HYDRANT SERVICE

Payments	\$ 1,000.00	Appropriation	\$ 1,000.00
Water District Assessment			\$ 1,000.00

ANNUITIES

Payments	\$ 1,200.00	Appropriation	\$ 1,200.00
Annuity Payment			\$ 1,200.00

TREE WARDEN

Payments	\$ 7,084.69	Appropriation	\$ 6,500.00
Unexpended	55.31	1960 Commitment	640.00

\$ 7,140.00

\$ 7,140.00

Wages \$ 4,682.98

Equip. Maintenance and Operation 1,005.81

Supplies 312.40

Trees 212.50

Hired Equipment 871.00

SHADE TREES

Unexpended	\$ 129.20	1960 Balance	\$ 129.20
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MOTH DEPARTMENT

Payments	\$ 4,455.44	Appropriation	\$ 4,700.00
Unexpended	244.56		

\$ 4,700.00

Wages \$ 3,630.62

Supplies 248.65

Equip. Operation and Maintenance 180.17

Equipment Hire 396.00

BUILDING INSPECTOR

Payments	\$ 2,483.94	Appropriation	\$ 1,800.00
Unexpended	16.06	Transferred from	

Contingent Fund 700.00

\$ 2,500.00

\$ 2,500.00

Wages \$ 2,068.00

Use of Automobile 383.00

Supplies 32.94

WIRE INSPECTOR

Payments	\$ 1,483.84	Appropriation	\$ 1,500.00
Unexpended	16.16		

\$ 1,500.00

Wages	\$ 1,180.00
Use of Automobile	230.60
Supplies	63.24
Dues	10.00

ANIMAL INSPECTOR

Payments	\$ 365.00	Appropriation	\$ 365.00
Salary of Inspector	\$ 240.00		
Use of Automobile	125.00		

SLAUGHTER INSPECTOR

Unexpended	\$ 25.00	Appropriation	\$ 25.00
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SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Payments	\$ 576.18	Appropriation	\$ 600.00
Unexpended	23.82		

\$ 600.00

Salary of Sealer	\$ 450.00
Use of Automobile	100.00
Supplies	26.18

CONTAGIOUS DISEASES

Payments	\$ 1,344.30	Appropriation	\$ 2,000.00
Unexpended	655.70		

\$ 2,000.00

Hospitals	\$ 1,231.50
Drugs	47.80
Transportation Allowances	65.00

VITAL STATISTICS

Payments	\$ 620.00	Appropriation	\$ 650.00
Unexpended	30.00		

\$ 650.00

Recording Births	\$ 362.00
Recording Marriages	154.00
Recording Deaths	104.00

TOWN OF DRACUT

BOARD OF HEALTH

Payments	\$ 7,598.51	Appropriation	\$ 7,450.00
		Transferred from	
		Contingent Fund	148.51
			<u>148.51</u>
			\$ 7,598.51

GENERAL

Salaries of Doctor and Nurse	\$ 1,840.00
Wages of Agent and Sanatarian	3,337.90
Wages of Others	299.50
Use of Automobiles	394.20
Expenses	5.96
Supplies	40.58
Advertising	20.01

PLUMBING INSPECTOR

Wages	\$ 861.50
Use of Automobile	219.20
Supplies	23.13
Expenses	38.40

GAS INSPECTOR

Wages	\$ 398.00
Use of Automobile	80.40
Supplies	39.73

SALK POLIO CLINICS

Payments	\$ 245.53	1960 Balance	\$ 948.53
Unexpended	703.00		
	<u>948.53</u>		
Wages	\$ 193.75		
Supplies	38.28		
Advertising	13.50		

ASHES AND WASTE

Payments	\$ 31,462.21	Appropriation	\$ 31,500.00
Unexpended	37.79		

\$ 31,500.00

Wages	\$ 24,146.33
Maintenance and Operation of Equipment	6,155.97
Equipment and Supplies	731.85
Gravel and Fill	375.00
Advertising	53.06

HEALTH PUMP

Payments	\$ 335.02	Appropriation	\$ 600.00
Unexpended	727.21	1960 Balance	462.23

\$ 1,062.23

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Wages	\$ 126.90
Maintenance and Operation of Equipment	198.00
Supplies	10.12

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE — AID

Payments	\$253,283.21	1960 Balances	\$ 30,883.33
Unexpended	71,993.90	Appropriation	150,000.00
		Federal Grants	132,775.86
		Refunds and	
		Canceled Checks	11,567.92

\$325,277.11

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Public Assistance:

Cash Payments	\$ 3,499.30
Paid to Vendors	4,127.59
Paid to Cities and Towns	362.34

Old Age Assistance:

Cash Payments	79,885.83
Paid to Vendors	22,323.64
Paid to Cities and Towns	2,731.33

Medical Aid to Aged:

Cash Payments	3,119.75
Paid to Vendors	70,494.36

Aid to Dependent Children:

Cash Payments	41,816.62
Paid to Vendors	4,621.71

Disability Assistance:

Cash Payments	11,849.26
Paid to Vendors	8,451.48

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE ADMINISTRATION

Payments	\$ 28,924.12	1960 Balance	\$ 2,517.43
Unexpended	1,414.35	Appropriation	14,300.00
		Federal Grants	13,361.04
		Refunds	160.00
	<u>\$ 30,338.47</u>		<u>\$ 30,338.47</u>
Salaries		\$ 24,791.40	
Other Wages		48.70	
Transportation Allowances		1,210.00	
Postage		657.40	
Supplies		465.28	
Electricity		150.88	
Equipment and Equipment Maintenance		228.75	
Telephone		539.01	
Fuel		380.80	
Professional Services		110.00	
Furnishings		285.65	
Expenses		26.25	
Dues		30.00	

VETERANS' BENEFITS — AID

Payments	\$ 22,609.41	Appropriation	\$ 25,000.00
Unexpended	3,101.59	Refunds	711.00
	<u>\$ 25,711.00</u>		<u>\$ 25,711.00</u>
Cash Payments		\$ 13,965.17	
Drugs		1,409.13	
Doctors		353.50	
Fuel		109.22	
Homes and Hospitals		6,047.64	
Provisions		434.85	
Blue Cross and Blue Shield		231.00	
Ambulance		43.90	
Clothing		15.00	

VETERANS' BENEFITS — ADMINISTRATION

Payments	\$ 2,571.42	Appropriation	\$ 2,600.00
Unexpended	28.58		
	<u>\$ 2,600.00</u>		
Salary of Agent		\$ 2,475.00	
Supplies		55.90	
Equipment Maintenance		24.50	
Dues		15.00	
Expenses		1.02	

HIGHWAYS

Payments	\$ 51,646.46	Appropriation	\$ 63,900.00
Transferred to		Refunds	25.00
Chapter 81	12,250.00		
Unexpended	28.54		
	<u>\$ 63,925.00</u>		<u>\$ 63,925.00</u>

SNOW REMOVAL

Wages	\$ 6,783.93
Use of Automobile	41.60
Hired Equipment	3,229.15

GENERAL

Wages	\$ 13,754.47
Use of Automobile	132.80
Hired Equipment	955.60
Supplies and Equipment	12,048.51
Equipment, Operation and Maintenance	9,890.27
Road Materials	2,672.25
Utilities	505.08
Building Maintenance	939.66
Office Expense	84.64
Professional Services	598.00
Advertising	10.50

MAINTENANCE OF MACHINERY

Payments	\$ 3,499.17	Transferred from	
Unexpended83	Machinery Rentals	\$ 2,243.00
		Appropriation	1,257.00
	<u>\$ 3,500.00</u>		<u>\$ 3,500.00</u>
Repair Parts			\$ 3,499.17

CHAPTER 81

Payments	\$ 39,200.00	Transferred from	
		Highways	\$ 12,250.00
		State Allotment	26,950.00
			<u>\$ 39,200.00</u>
Wages	\$ 20,487.54		
Use of Automobile	128.00		
Hired Equipment	510.00		
Town Owned Equipment	1,616.00		
Road Materials	16,458.46		

CHAPTER 90 — HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Payments	\$ 20,695.52	Appropriation	\$ 10,050.00
Unexpended	19,504.48	State and County	
		Allotment	30,150.00
	<u>\$ 40,200.00</u>		<u>\$ 40,200.00</u>
Wages		\$ 4,419.83	
Use of Automobile		36.80	
Hired Equipment		2,244.00	
Town Owned Equipment		450.25	
Road Materials		13,544.64	

CHAPTER 90 — HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE

Payments	\$ 4,499.97	Appropriation	\$ 1,500.00
Unexpended03	State and County	
		Allotments	3,000.00
	<u>\$ 4,500.00</u>		<u>\$ 4,500.00</u>
Wages		\$ 1,233.70	
Use of Automobile		11.20	
Town Owned Equipment		233.59	
Road Materials		3,031.57	

CHAPTER 91 — DRAINS

Unexpended	\$ 5,000.00	1960 Balance	\$ 5,000.00
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HIGHWAY OILING AND PATCHING

Payments	\$ 7,799.89	Appropriation	\$ 7,800.00
Unexpended11		
	<u>\$ 7,800.00</u>		
Wages		\$ 2,879.70	
Use of Automobile		9.60	
Road Materials		4,910.59	

NEW STREETS

Payments	\$ 10,805.20	Appropriation	\$ 14,525.00
Unexpended	3,719.80		
	<u>\$ 14,525.00</u>		
Wages		\$ 5,458.39	
Use of Automobile		20.80	
Hired Equipment		3,497.00	
Road Materials		1,829.01	

NEW STORM DRAINS

Payments	\$ 12,305.70	1960 Balance	\$ 3,351.20
Unexpended	165.50	Appropriation	9,120.00
	<u>\$ 12,471.20</u>		<u>\$ 12,471.20</u>
Wages		\$ 4,900.80	
Use of Automobile		30.40	
Hired Equipment		2,044.00	
Materials		5,330.50	

PAINTING TRAFFIC LINES

Payments	\$ 1,976.70	Appropriation	\$ 2,000.00
Unexpended	23.30		
	<u>\$ 2,000.00</u>		
Wages		\$ 187.20	
Hired Equipment		852.00	
Materials		937.50	

SANDING AND SNOW REMOVAL — NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER

Payments	\$ 2,337.34	Appropriation	\$ 2,000.00
		Transferred from	
		Contingent Fund	337.34
			<u>\$ 2,337.34</u>
Wages		\$ 1,605.54	
Use of Automobile		4.80	
Hired Equipment		727.00	

PURCHASE HIGHWAY PICKUP TRUCK

Payments	\$ 1,690.25	Appropriation	\$ 2,000.00
Unexpended	309.75		
	<u>\$ 2,000.00</u>		
Cost of Truck		\$ 1,685.00	
Advertising		5.25	

STREET LIGHTS

Payments	\$ 15,237.00	Appropriation	\$ 15,237.00
Electricity		\$ 15,237.00	

TOWN OF DRACUT

SCHOOL SALARIES

Payments	\$650,935.00	Appropriation	\$650,935.00
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Salaries:

Elementary School Teachers	\$260,884.32
High School Teachers	292,583.67
Librarian	4,532.47
Secretaries	7,820.58
Maintenance Employees	53,934.05
Health Program	6,186.93
Lunch Room Manager	3,240.00
Administration	9,445.48
Attendance Officer	380.00
Athletic Personnel	1,810.00
Wages of Substitute Teachers	10,117.50

SCHOOL EXPENSES AND SUPPLIES

Payments	\$151,968.00	Appropriation	\$149,400.00
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Transferred from Contingent Fund	2,568.00
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\$151,968.00

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Maintenance of School Grounds	\$ 5,195.99
Fuel	14,183.65
Electricity	9,405.45
Gas	495.85
Telephone	1,138.29
Water	568.55
Transportation of Students	58,000.51
New Equipment	5,173.46
Repairs	22,210.48
Textbooks	12,039.68
Library	2,112.55
Instructional Supplies and Expenses	11,431.96
Operational Supplies and Expenses	8,652.76
Health Supplies and Expenses	418.30
Administrative Supplies and Expenses	940.52

FEDERAL GRANTS TO SCHOOLS — PUBLIC LAW 874

Payments	\$ 60,250.84	1960 Balance	\$ 33,088.92
Unexpended	7,714.08	1961 Federal Grant	34,876.00

\$ 67,964.92

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Salaries and Wages:

High School Teachers	\$ 446.61
Substitute Teachers	435.00
Maintenance Personnel	1,101.80
Health Personnel	128.83
Secretarial Staff	174.99
Administrative Offices	190.38

Other Payments:

Repairs	21,868.20
Transportation	20,892.33
Grounds	218.73
Fuel	4,284.92
Electricity	1,874.99
Gas	118.66
Telephone	118.54
New Equipment	1,936.52
Textbooks	1,026.22
Library Materials	377.25
Instruction Materials	4,135.11
Operational Supplies and Expenses	692.90
Health Supplies and Expenses	25.74
Administrative Supplies and Expenses	136.12

FEDERAL GRANTS TO SCHOOLS—NATIONAL DEFENSE ACT
TITLE 5

Payments	\$ 3,060.53	1960 Balance	\$ 1,729.07
		1961 Federal Grant	1,331.46
			<u>\$ 3,060.53</u>
Salaries — High School Teachers	\$ 3,060.53		

SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM

Payments	\$ 85,052.87	1960 Balance	\$ 6,482.45
Unexpended	11,330.11	Receipts from Students	66,914.37
		Federal Grants	22,986.16
	<u>\$ 96,382.98</u>		<u>\$ 96,382.98</u>
Wages	\$ 16,412.28		
Truck Hire	356.00		
Milk	21,149.66		
Food	36,426.12		
Ice Cream	5,810.71		
Supplies	945.81		
Equipment and Maintenance of Equipment	2,844.66		
Express	371.57		
Laundry	64.50		
Professional Services	105.00		
Telephone	166.89		
Insurance	255.67		
Expenses	144.00		

SCHOOL ATHLETICS

Payments	\$ 7,396.48	Appropriation	\$ 5,000.00
Unexpended	1,562.03	1960 Balance	205.33
		Refunds	13.65
		Receipts	3,739.53

	\$ 8,958.51		\$ 8,958.51
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Wages	\$ 1,870.00
Transportation	1,354.00
Equipment and Maintenance of Equipment	2,323.87
Professional Services	208.00
Supplies	386.36
Insurance	1,172.75
Guarantee	31.50
Dues	50.00

VOCATIONAL SCHOOL TUITION

Payments	\$ 5,755.30	Appropriation	\$ 8,000.00
Unexpended	2,244.70		

	\$ 8,000.00
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Tuition Paid	\$ 5,755.30
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JUNIOR-SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION

Payments	\$ 4,368.02	Transferred from Post War Rehabilitation Account	\$ 4,368.02
Payments on Major Contracts	\$ 1,203.02		
Payments on Other Contracts	2,590.00		
Equipment	575.00		

HIGH SCHOOL ALTERATIONS

Payments	\$ 3,050.00	1960 Balance	\$ 3,878.30
Unexpended	828.30		

	\$3,878.30
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Payments to Architect	\$ 3,050.00
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SCHOOL SITE ENGINEERING SURVEY

Unexpended	\$ 2,000.00	1960 Balance	\$ 2,000.00
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BUILDING COMMITTEE

Payments	\$ 5,793.40	Appropriation	\$ 20,000.00
Unexpended	14,206.60		

	\$ 20,000.00
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Architect's Fee	\$ 5,500.00
Surveying Property	250.00
Clerk's Wages	26.25
Supplies	6.75
Telephone	10.40

LIBRARY

Payments	\$ 11,120.00	Appropriation	\$ 11,120.00
Salary of Librarian			\$ 2,750.00
Wages			4,540.56
Transporting Books			110.00
Expenses			49.34
Supplies			280.27
Building Expense			1,172.86
Books and Periodicals			2,160.22
Dues			5.00
Telephone			7.95
Equipment			1.40
Express			42.40

FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY ACCOUNT

Payments	\$ 2,870.62	State Grant	\$ 2,871.54
Unexpended92		

\$ 2,871.54

Equipment	\$ 100.00
Books and Periodicals	1,529.61
Building Operation and Maintenance	909.09
Supplies	296.65
Telephone	15.27
Transporting Books	20.00

LIBRARY TRUST FUND INCOME

Payments	\$ 163.60	Interest Available in 1961	\$ 163.60
Library Equipment			\$ 163.60

CURIO FUND — INCOME

Payments	\$ 30.62	Transferred from Interest	\$ 30.62
Insurance on Curios			\$ 30.62

PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS

Payments	\$ 7,254.94	Appropriation	\$ 7,300.00
Unexpended	45.06		

\$ 7,300.00

Wages	\$ 3,908.95
Hired Equipment	899.00
Equipment Operation and Maintenance	377.41
Equipment and Supplies	719.58
Playground Equipment	1,350.00

TOWN OF DRACUT

RECREATION COMMISSION

Payments	\$ 3,965.00	Appropriation	\$ 3,965.00
Wages		\$ 709.00	
Equipment		2,095.58	
Supplies		75.48	
Insurance		628.50	
Professional Services		225.00	
Halloween Expense		141.44	
Bowling		90.00	

CEMETERY

Payments	\$ 2,400.00	Appropriation	\$ 2,400.00
Contracted Wages		\$ 1,591.63	
Contracted Equipment		223.00	
Materials		506.62	
Office Equipment		78.75	

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS — INCOME

Payments	\$ 565.62	Interest Withdrawn	\$ 565.62
Contracted Wages		\$ 544.62	
Contracted Equipment		21.00	

CIVIL DEFENSE

Payments	\$ 289.74	1960 Balance	\$ 1,893.91
Unexpended	1,604.17		

\$ 1,893.91

Wages	\$ 60.00
Expenses	15.00
Use of Automobile	7.00
Telephone	78.00
Equipment and Equipment Maintenance	129.74

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Payments	\$ 46.20	Appropriation	\$ 50.00
Unexpended	3.80		

\$ 50.00

Wages	\$ 20.00
Supplies	1.20
Dues	25.00

INSURANCE

Payments	\$ 21,172.10	Appropriation	\$ 20,000.00
Unexpended	290.87	Transferred from	
		Contingent Fund	1,172.10
		Refund	290.87

\$ 21,462.97

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Fire Insurance Schedule	\$ 7,955.16
Workmen's Compensation	7,299.81
Liability on Motor Vehicles	4,442.66
Comprehension on Town Equipment	599.27
Liability	485.93
Liability on Radio Pole	16.50
Fire Department Radio	81.90

CONTINGENT FUND

Transfers	\$ 4,925.95	Appropriation	\$ 10,000.00
Balance	5,074.05		

\$ 10,000.00

Transferred to Insurance	\$ 1,172.10
Transferred to Building Inspector	700.00
Transferred to Nov. and Dec. Snow Removal	337.34
Transferred to Board of Health	148.51
Transferred to School Expenses and Supplies	2,568.00

VETERANS MEMORIAL DAY FUND

Payments	\$ 1,144.58	Appropriation	\$ 1,150.00
Unexpended	5.42		

\$ 1,150.00

Supplies	\$ 47.92
Printing	46.17
Flowers and Wreaths	77.50
Gasoline	22.39
Band Music	193.00
Bus Hire	35.00
Services	18.00
Refreshments	14.60
Dinners	690.00

WAR MEMORIAL BRONZE PLACQUE

Unexpended	\$ 700.00	1960 Balance	\$ 700.00
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BY-LAW COMMITTEE

Unexpended	\$ 250.00	Appropriation	\$ 250.00
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CARL LADUKE DAMAGE CLAIM

Payment	\$ 693.24	Appropriation	\$ 693.24
Damage Claim			\$ 693.24

TOWN HALL PARKING LOT

Payments	\$ 1,915.63	Appropriation	\$ 2,000.00
Unexpended	84.37		

\$ 2,000.00

Wages	\$ 940.75
Hired Equipment	75.00
Materials	899.88

TOWN OF DRACUT

TOWN 4-H CLUBS

Payments	\$ 78.03	Appropriation	\$ 100.00
Unexpended	21.97		

\$ 100.00

Bus Hire	\$ 25.00
Refreshments	18.03
Music	35.00

PRINTING TOWN REPORTS

Payments	\$ 4,371.20	Appropriation	\$ 4,371.20
Printing Reports and Warrants	\$ 4,371.20		

PRINCIPAL ON LOANS

Payments	\$110,000.00	Appropriation	\$110,000.00
Payment on Principal	\$110,000.00		

INTEREST ON LOANS

Payments	\$ 56,839.17	Appropriation	\$ 64,400.00
Unexpended	7,560.83		

\$ 64,400.00

Interest on School Loans	\$ 54,250.00
Interest on Tax Anticipation Loan	2,589.17

STABILIZATION FUND

Payment	\$100,000.00	Appropriation	\$100,000.00
Deposited in Savings Bank	\$100,000.00		

STATE CLAIM PURIFICATION PLANT

1960 Payment	\$ 25.55	Assessment	\$ 95.84
1961 Payment	70.29		

\$ 95.84

Dracut Share of Plant Operation for 1961 ... \$ 70.29

STATE PARKS

1960 Payment	\$ 979.99	Assessment	\$ 6,733.19
1961 Payment	5,320.02		
Unexpended	433.19		

\$ 6,733.19

Dracut's Payment for State Parks for 1961 ... \$ 5,320.01

STATE AUDIT

Payment	\$ 94.98	Assessment	\$ 94.98
State Audit Assessment for 1961	\$ 94.98		

COUNTY RETIREMENT FUND

Payments	\$ 12,509.42	Assessment	\$ 12,509.42
Dracut's Assessment for 1961	\$ 12,509.42		

COUNTY TAXES

1960 Payment	\$ 1,326.30	Assessments	\$ 23,472.50
1961 Payment	20,803.63		
Unexpended	1,342.57		

\$ 23,472.50

Dracut's Share of County Tax for 1961 \$ 20,803.63

COUNTY SANITORIUM

Payments	\$ 3,774.87	Assessment	\$ 3,774.87
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Dracut's Share of County Sanitorium

Operation \$ 3,774.87

DOG LICENSES DUE COUNTY

Payments	\$ 3,002.00	Balance from 1960	\$ 145.75
Balance	21.75	Dog License Receipts	2,620.00
		Sale of Dogs	258.00

\$ 3,023.75

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Paid to County Dog Fund \$ 3,002.00

FEDERAL WITHHOLDING TAX

Payments	\$124,153.59	1960 Balance	\$ 10,048.53
Balance	11,532.80	1961 Withholdings	125,637.86

\$135,686.39

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Federal Income Taxes Paid \$124,153.59

STATE WITHHOLDING TAX

Payments	\$ 9,818.06	1960 Balance	\$ 2,286.18
Balance	2,951.98	1961 Withholdings	10,483.86

\$ 12,770.04

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State Income Taxes Paid \$ 9,749.15

Handling Charge Allowed Town 68.91

RETIREMENT WITHHOLDINGS

Payments	\$ 14,173.88	1960 Balance	\$ 1,387.86
Balance	1,471.43	1961 Withholdings	14,257.45

\$ 15,645.31

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Paid County Retirement Fund \$ 14,173.88

EMPLOYEE BLUE CROSS - BLUE SHIELD WITHHOLDINGS

Payments	\$ 7,908.36	1960 Balance	\$ 11.89
Balance	975.60	1961 Withholdings	8,872.07

\$ 8,883.96

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Blue Cross - Blue Shield Payments \$ 7,908.36

TOWN OF DRACUT

EMPLOYEES LIFE INSURANCE WITHHOLDINGS

Payments	\$ 1,059.52	1961 Withholdings	\$ 1,218.62
Balance	159.10		
	<u>\$ 1,218.62</u>		
Life Insurance Payments	\$ 1,059.52		

TOWN SHARE BLUE CROSS - BLUE SHIELD & LIFE INSURANCE

Payments	\$ 7,280.55	Appropriation	\$ 9,000.00
Balance	1,719.45		
	<u>\$ 9,000.00</u>		
Blue Cross - Blue Shield Payments	\$ 6,323.82		
Life Insurance Payments	956.73		

REFUNDS

1959 Real Estate Tax	\$ 80.00
1960 Real Estate Tax	2,083.20
1960 Motor Vehicle Excise Tax	4,008.36
1961 Poll Tax	6.35
1961 Real Estate Tax	3,060.15
1961 Motor Vehicle Excise Tax	2,898.54
Veterans' Benefits	483.72
Blue Cross - Blue Shield	566.97
Employees Life Insurance	2.08

TRUST FUND ACCOUNTS

Cash and Securities	\$262,121.95	Cheever School Fund	\$ 4,299.70
		Durkee Library Fund	156.06
		Hovey Scholarship Fund	5,074.22
		Hovey Library Fund	2,350.40
		Hovey Square Fund	1,462.33
		Hovey Plaza Fund	689.12
		Hovey Varnum Park Fund	1,440.53
		Peabody Library Fund	2,080.80
		Peabody Curio Fund	5,071.06
		Cemetery Trust Fund	6,981.29
		Post War Rehabilitation Fund	24,525.70
		Stabilization Fund	207,990.74
			<u>\$262,121.95</u>

ASSETS

LIABILITIES AND RESERVES

Farm Animal Excise:			
Levy of 1960	\$ 8.13		
Levy of 1961	126.39		
	\$	134.52	
Tax Titles and Possessions:			
Tax Titles	\$ 8,169.41		
Tax Possessions	3,245.47		
	\$	11,414.88	
Departmental:			
Aid to Dependent Children,			
State	\$ 3,976.52		
Old Age Assistance,			
Cities and Towns	1,186.04		
Health	174.50		
	\$	5,337.06	
Aid to Highways:			
State:			
Chapter 81, 1961	\$ 21,694.69		
Chapter 90, Construction			
1961	20,100.00		
Chapter 90, Maintenance			
1961	1,500.00		
County:			
Chapter 90, Construction			
1961	10,050.00		
Chapter 90, Maintenance			
1961	1,500.00		
	\$	54,844.69	
Federal Grants:			
Disability Assistance:			
Administration	\$ 8.19		
Assistance	3,907.43		
	\$		
Aid to Dependent Children:			
Administration	656.52		
Assistance	14,602.93		
Medical Aid to the Aged:			
Administration	328.74		
Assistance	15,963.95		
Old Age Assistance:			
Administration	420.90		
Assistance	30,692.47		
	\$	66,581.13	
Revolving Funds:			
School Lunch	\$ 11,330.11		
School Athletics	1,562.03		
	\$	12,892.14	
Federal Aid to Schools:			
Public Law 874	\$	7,714.08	

Post War Rehabilitation Fund
Reserved for School Construction

\$ 11,097.80

Appropriation Balances:

Master Plan	\$ 2,734.84
Zoning Map	746.40
Conservation Commission	100.00
Fire Department Radios	5,840.75
Purchase of Shade Trees	129.20
Polio Clinic	703.00
Health Department Pump	727.21
Highways:	
Chapter 90 Construction	19,504.48
Chapter 91 Drainage	5,000.00
New Streets	3,719.80
New Storm Drains	165.50
High School Alterations	828.30
School Site Survey	2,000.00
Building Committee	14,206.60
Bylaw Committee	250.00
Memorial Bronze Plaque	700.00
Civil Defense	1,604.17
	<hr/> \$ 58,960.25

Reserve for Post War

Rehabilitation	\$ 11,097.80
Sale of Real Estate Fund	2,936.17
Sale of Cemetery Lots Fund	243.50

Receipts Reserved for Appropriation:

Road Machine Rentals	2,289.75
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Reserve Fund:

Overlay Surplus	11,554.26
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Overlays Reserved for Abatements:

Levy of 1959	\$ 40.00
Levy of 1960	4,309.43
Levy of 1961	20,483.03
	<u>\$ 24,832.46</u>

Revenue Reserved Until Collected:

Motor Vehicle and Trailer	
Excise	\$ 62,976.62
Farm Animal Excise Tax	134.52
Tax Title	11,414.88
Departmental	5,337.06
Aid to Highways	54,844.69
	<u>\$ 134,707.77</u>
Surplus Revenue:	
General	\$ 306,156.27
	<u>\$ 671,018.39</u>

\$ 671,018.39

DEBT ACCOUNT

Net Funded or Fixed Debt:

Inside Debt Limit:	
School Construction	\$ 300,000.00
Outside Debt Limit:	
School Construction	1,350,000.00
	<u>\$1,650,000.00</u>

Serial Loans:

Inside Debt Limit:	
School Construction	\$ 300,000.00
Outside Debt Limit:	
School Construction	1,350,000.00
	<u>\$1,650,000.00</u>

REPORT OF MARRIAGES REGISTERED DURING THE YEAR 1961

Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
JANUARY		
14	Stanley R. Brown	Billerica, Mass.
	Joanne Horman	Dracut, Mass.
14	John Joseph Gervais	Lowell, Mass.
	Norma M. Kenyon	Dracut, Mass.
14	Charles Michael Bond	Winchester, Mass.
	Katherine Frances Maliszewski	Dracut, Mass.
22	Marcellin Desrosiers	Dracut, Mass.
	Jacqueline Parent	Lawrence, Mass.
28	Arthur G. Gauthier	Dracut, Mass.
	Helen D. Gomes	Dracut, Mass.
28	Leo J. Martin, Jr.	Dracut, Mass.
	Rose Gerakines	Lowell, Mass.
FEBRUARY		
11	James E. Burke, Jr.	Lowell, Mass.
	Shirley Frances Zelinsky	Dracut, Mass.
11	John F. Craig, Jr.	Lowell, Mass.
	Diane L. Jezak	Dracut, Mass.
18	Jean Roger Brousseau	Dracut, Mass.
	Nancy Ann Roth	Dracut, Mass.
APRIL		
2	Paul R. McCarthy	Lowell, Mass.
	Phyllis D. Young	Dracut, Mass.
2	Paul J. Raoul Fauvel	Dracut, Mass.
	Therese Rita Cote	Lowell, Mass.
2	Leon E. Fontaine	Tyngsboro, Mass..
	Rita (Jacques) McGinn	Dracut, Mass.
4	George Turcotte	Dracut, Mass.
	Blanche L. (Ouellette) (Dawes) Nadeau	Lawrence, Mass.
8	Robert R. Delisle	Lowell, Mass.
	Helen Twarog	Dracut, Mass.
8	Roger J. Vezina	Lowell, Mass.
	Janet A. Lamoureux	Dracut, Mass.
8	Ludger Joseph Elie	Dracut, Mass.
	Mary T. Amoral	Lowell, Mass.
8	Ronald Sheehan	Lowell, Mass.
	Nancy Bourgeois	Dracut, Mass.
9	Eugene L. Gauthier	Dracut, Mass.
	Helen Hopkins	Lowell, Mass.

Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
APRIL		
9	Armand J. Cambray, Jr.	Dracut, Mass.
	Patricia A. Bernard	Lowell, Mass.
9	William Boisvert	Nashua, N.H.
	Clara Landry (Hervieux)	Nashua, N.H.
15	George R. Vinal	Dracut, Mass.
	June C. Quigley	Lowell, Mass.
15	Albert A. Masse	Dracut, Mass.
	Anita C. Gosselin	Lowell, Mass.
16	William M. Donahue	Lawrence, Mass.
	Eleanor C. (Manning) Sullivan	Dracut, Mass.
16	Robert P. Fournier	Dracut, Mass.
	Judith Dziegiel	Dracut, Mass.
22	Russell Lahaise	Dracut, Mass.
	Nicole Gagnon	Lowell, Mass.
22	Paul L. Corcoran	Lowell, Mass.
	Bertha B. Jasmin	Dracut, Mass.
23	Arthur J. D'Hondt	Dracut, Mass.
	Carol A. Alvino	Lawrence, Mass.
23	Arthur R. Bergeron	Tyngsborough, Mass.
	Phyllis B. Forget	Dracut, Mass.
28	Roland Leo Salois	Dracut, Mass.
	Evelyn (Fournier) Beaucage	Lowell, Mass.
28	Ernest A. Lambert, Jr.	Dracut, Mass.
	Lorraine C. Fournier	Dracut, Mass.
28	William F. Cavanaugh	Lowell, Mass.
	Lucille M. Paquin	Dracut, Mass.
29	Eugene L. Fauvel	Dracut, Mass.
	Beatrice (Theriault) Levesque	Dracut, Mass.
29	Victor L. Poirier	Lowell, Mass.
	Carmel C. Baron	Dracut, Mass.
MAY		
7	James C. Natsios	Dracut, Mass.
	Bessie Screpets	Dracut, Mass.
20	Donald Morowski	Dracut, Mass.
	Carol Ann Olivieri	Dracut, Mass.
20	David J. Levasseur	Lowell, Mass.
	Elaine A. McCue	Dracut, Mass.
21	Raymond C. Glezman	Lowell, Mass.
	Pauline G. Guilmette	Dracut, Mass.
27	Robert D. Bell, Jr.	Dracut, Mass.
	Shirley Ann Fallis	Lowell, Mass.
27	David Amos Byam	Chelmsford, Mass.
	Carolyn Diane Lombari	Dracut, Mass.

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MAY		
27	David A. Brooks	Dracut, Mass.
	Pearl M. Smith	Tyngsborough, Mass.
27	Armand V. Desrosiers	Dracut, Mass.
	Gloria M. Smith	Tyngsborough, Mass.
27	David M. Sheahan	Lowell, Mass.
	Elizabeth M. Riley	Dracut, Mass.
28	John S. Swiniarski, Jr.	Dracut, Mass.
	Katherine Judith Birchenough	Lowell, Mass.
28	Philip J. Celeste	Lawrence, Mass.
	Sheila P. Kearns	Dracut, Mass.
28	Harold Martin McFadden	Dracut, Mass.
	Patricia Lee Lessard	Dracut, Mass.
30	Roger J. Martineau	Dracut, Mass.
	Patricia Hall	Dracut, Mass.
30	Ernest N. Lanteigne	Dracut, Mass.
	Martha (Marchese) Allen	Lawrence, Mass.
JUNE		
2	Elmer W. Flanders	Tyngsborough, Mass.
	Marie J. Chasse	Dracut, Mass.
3	Morris A. Gagnon	Dracut, Mass.
	Rita M. Perry	Lowell, Mass.
3	Donald George Hamelin	Tyngsboro, Mass.
	Helen Ann Grzesik	Dracut, Mass.
4	Allan M. Lurvey	Dracut, Mass.
	Janice Elaine Partridge	Lawrence, Mass.
4	Richard P. O'Neil	Chelmsford, Mass.
	Alice Y. Belanger	Dracut, Mass.
4	Allan S. Fox	Hanover, N.H.
	Marilyn L. Fox	Dracut, Mass.
4	Peter Joseph McArthur	Dracut, Mass.
	Cynthia Alice Deal	Medford, Mass.
4	Albert E. Capi	Dracut, Mass.
	Mary Ann Alartosky	Lawrence, Mass.
10	Roland Rondeau	Lowell, Mass.
	Elaine Blanchette	Dracut, Mass.
10	Gerald P. McAneney	Dracut, Mass.
	Laurette R. Laurent	Lowell, Mass.
17	James R. Anastas	St. Petersburg, Fla.
	Evelyn W. Gates	Dracut, Mass.
17	Bruce A. Blomstrom	Dracut, Mass.
	Anne K. Stevens	Hyannis, Mass.
25	Robert F. Saggs	Lowell, Mass.
	Constance Joan Caravoulas	Dracut, Mass.

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JUNE		
25	Robert Belleville	Lowell, Mass.
	Martha Perron	Dracut, Mass.
28	Ernest R. Shepard, Jr.	Lowell, Mass.
	Elaine B. Garside	Dracut, Mass.
29	George A. Woolner	Manchester, N.H.
	Marion P. Siddall	Manchester, N.H.
JULY		
1	Roland J. Spenard	Dracut, Mass.
	Nancy M. A. Guerin	Dracut, Mass.
1	George Martin Fisher	Dracut, Mass.
	Peggy Lynn Bailey	Dracut, Mass.
1	George Tsetas	Framingham, Mass.
	Athena (Gioulekos) Doumas	Dracut, Mass.
1	Roger J. Delisle	Dracut, Mass.
	Marlene J. Harper	Dracut, Mass.
2	Charles K. Panageotopoulos	Dracut, Mass.
	Mary A. MacDonald	Lowell, Mass.
2	Richard Larose	Westford, Mass.
	Joanne Fortier	Dracut, Mass.
4	Berton F. Jenkins	Nashua, N.H.
	Shirley M. McCallum	Pelham, N.H.
8	Robert A. Langlois	Dracut, Mass.
	Helen Lach	Dracut, Mass.
15	Donald J. Bellemare	Lowell, Mass.
	Rochelle M. Tremblay	Dracut, Mass.
15	Robert R. Marsden	Dracut, Mass.
	Dorothy A. Donnelly	Dracut, Mass.
15	Emile M. Maille	Lowell, Mass.
	Norma F. Ramos	Dracut, Mass.
22	Gerald J. Paquette	Lowell, Mass.
	Jacqueline Y. Ouellette	Dracut, Mass.
22	Bernard M. Bettencourt	Lowell, Mass.
	Lorraine R. Bernard	Dracut, Mass.
23	George J. Skrekas	Dracut, Mass.
	Avra Kanavos	Lowell, Mass.
23	Rene J. Jean	Dracut, Mass.
	Martha Ann Woods	Groton, Mass.
30	Eugene A. Black	Tewksbury, Mass.
	Jeannette K. Huard	Dracut, Mass.
AUGUST		
5	George T. Brooks	Lowell, Mass.
	Marsha A. Reardon	Dracut, Mass.

Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
AUGUST		
5	Robert J. Ziemba	Dracut, Mass.
	Catherine H. Abernethy	Lowell, Mass.
5	Gerald F. Gormley	Dracut, Mass.
	Deanna C. King	Dracut, Mass.
12	William J. Burns	Dracut, Mass.
	Patricia T. McArdle	Lowell, Mass.
19	Walter P. Copley	Lowell, Mass.
	Margaret L. Dockett	Dracut, Mass.
19	James A. Martin, Jr.	Lowell, Mass.
	Gertrude I. Elie	Dracut, Mass.
19	Emile Marion, Jr.	Dracut, Mass.
	Gloria Langlois	Lowell, Mass.
20	Joseph F. Stowell, Jr.	Dracut, Mass.
	Jacqueline A. McLarnon	Lowell, Mass.
20	Douglas E. McCartney	York Springs, Penna.
	Elaine M. Matte	Dracut, Mass.
24	John E. McCaul, Jr.	Lowell, Mass.
	Janet R. Dufault	Dracut, Mass.
26	Joseph Paul Emile Dufour	Chelmsford, Mass.
	Doris Theresa Sancartier	Dracut, Mass.
26	James Graham	Lowell, Mass.
	Pauline (Boisvert) Rondeau	Dracut, Mass.
26	Philip M. Grande	Lowell, Mass.
	Janet L. Ward	Dracut, Mass.
SEPTEMBER		
2	Glenn A. Peatman	Andover, Mass.
	Jeannie Mae Griffith	Dracut, Mass.
2	Paul Albert Baker	Dracut, Mass.
	Brenda Mary Molleur	Dracut, Mass.
2	Roland P. Thibault	Dracut, Mass.
	Cecile Alice Prive	Lowell, Mass.
3	George P. Methot	Lowell, Mass.
	Barbara J. Davies	Dracut, Mass.
3	Robert E. Ducharme	Lowell, Mass.
	Irene M. Elie	Dracut, Mass.
4	Raymond Roy	Lowell, Mass.
	Jeanne Desmarais	Dracut, Mass.
4	Raymond Phillip McKenzie	Dracut, Mass.
	Margaret Rita Campbell	Dracut, Mass.
9	Robert H. Zaim	Lowell, Mass.
	Manya S. Golec	Dracut, Mass.
10	Philip Richard Gaudet	Billerica, Mass.
	Judith Ann Dube	Dracut, Mass.

Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
SEPTEMBER		
16	John E. Tierney	Lowell, Mass.
	Elaine A. Patenaude	Dracut, Mass.
16	Paul Joseph Morneau	Dracut, Mass.
	Norene Alice Bradbury	Dracut, Mass.
16	John Robert Rourke	Dracut, Mass.
	Donna Marie Wojas	Lowell, Mass.
16	Emil R. Magiera	Dracut, Mass.
	Sheila A. Cheponis	Lowell, Mass.
16	Robert E. Allen	Dracut, Mass.
	Sheila Cyr	Dracut, Mass.
16	Ralph Ernest Hoare, Jr.	Lowell, Mass.
	Dorothy Mae Canney	Dracut, Mass.
16	Gerard Henry Rousseau	Lowell, Mass.
	Muriel Lydia Desrosiers	Dracut, Mass.
23	Richard L. Smith	Dracut, Mass.
	Beverly Ann Williams	Dracut, Mass.
27	Walter E. Chamberlain	Lowell, Mass.
	Lila Lee Hayward	Dracut, Mass.
30	Robert E. Corey	Dracut, Mass.
	Dorothy M. T. Bourque	Dracut, Mass.
30	Anthony L. Mello	Dracut, Mass.
	Katherine L. McAnespie	Lowell, Mass.
30	Henry C. Willis	Warrington, Fla.
	Judith C. Roussel	Dracut, Mass.
30	Ronald W. LaFlam	Lowell, Mass.
	Barbara Ann Thompson	Dracut, Mass.
OCTOBER		
1	Leo Paul Breton	Dracut, Mass.
	Donna Marie Richards	Lowell, Mass.
1	Raymond W. Bouchard	Dracut, Mass.
	Janet L. Gauthier	Lowell, Mass.
7	Maurice P. Patenaude	Lowell, Mass.
	Doris E. Bouchard	Dracut, Mass.
7	Ferdinand W. Martino	Dracut, Mass.
	Ann G. Tardiff	Dracut, Mass.
7	Edward J. Furtado	Dracut, Mass.
	Julianna M. Eldridge	So. Groveland, Mass.
7	Louis Walter Twarog	Dracut, Mass.
	Deanna Priscilla Dias	Lowell, Mass.
9	Frank E. Bonczar	Billerica, Mass.
	Sophie M. Pavelka	Dracut, Mass.
15	Philip A. Catalano	Methuen, Mass.
	Lucille T. Ouellette	Dracut, Mass.

Date of Marriage	Name	Residence
OCTOBER		
21	Alfred H. Wright	Dracut, Mass.
	Helen Apostolas	Lowell, Mass.
21	John M. Vernarelli	Baltimore, Md.
	Jane E. Illsley	Harvard, Mass.
22	Francis C. Wolfenden	Dracut, Mass.
	Pauline Apostolakes	Lowell, Mass.
NOVEMBER		
2	Paul R. Brunelle	Dracut, Mass.
	Edith L. Avery	Dracut, Mass.
4	Emile J. Martin	Dracut, Mass.
	Carol A. Richards	Dracut, Mass.
11	William Young, Jr.	Dracut, Mass.
	Joanne Mae Bulger	Methuen, Mass.
11	John W. Bardzik	Dracut, Mass.
	Mary T. Peroney	Lowell, Mass.
12	Adam J. Jaglowski	Lawrence, Mass.
	Olga Nofrick	Dracut, Mass.
12	Raymond J. Rourke	Dracut, Mass.
	Linda (Healy) Coyle	Westford, Mass.
19	Daniel Patrick Brady	Lowell, Mass.
	Marie Pauline Louise Labrecque	Dracut, Mass.
19	Donald D. Fehr	Freeport, Ill.
	Patricia Anne Perry	Dracut, Mass.
22	Peter J. Boutselis	Dracut, Mass.
	Julia Botos	Lowell, Mass.
DECEMBER		
22	Roderick Joseph Gillis	Pelham, N.H.
	Mary Catherine Fitzgerald	Dracut, Mass.
24	Walter L. Wajda	Lowell, Mass.
	Julianna M. Stefan	Dracut, Mass.
30	Albert C. Pultar	Dracut, Mass.
	Cynthia J. (Fraser) White	Lowell, Mass.
30	Edward H. Trudel	Dracut, Mass.
	Phyllis M. J. Paquette	Dracut, Mass.
30	Richard Edwin Cornock	Dracut, Mass.
	Iris Nannette Knappke	Essex, Mass.

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Respectfully submitted,

HECTOR H. BERUBE,
Town clerk.

REPORT OF BIRTHS REGISTERED DURING THE YEAR 1960**1960 BIRTHS**

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Names of Parents
NOVEMBER		
17	Marilyn Joyce Brown	David B. & Joan L. McCammon
DECEMBER		
3	John Michael Crider	James & Beverly A. Higgason
4	Armand Louis Sancartier	Armand J. & Catherine Kondos
5	Cynthia MacDonald	James E. & Doris B. Couillard
7	Caroline Blanche Stuart	Richard A. & Irene S. Saja
9	Dinopoulos, Charlene	Charles & Despine Sarantos
16	Paula Irene Sperounis	Paul & Elizabeth Kotopoulos
17	David Robert LeDrew	Robert C. & Frances L. Harris
18	Mary Craggy	Clarence E. & Elizabeth R. O'Rourke
19	Robert Dale Schoonover	Verne E. & Elizabeth E. Carpenter
21	Anthony Zouvelos, Jr.	Anthony & Shirley M. Sweeney
22	Jon Christopher Corbin	Maurice W. & Mary Lou McLarney
24	Ann Marie Gariepy	Roland J. & Jean A. Charette
25	Raymond Roger Vigeant, Jr.	Raymond R. & Claire C. Martin
26	Robert Marc Joseph Tousignant	Joseph Arthur & Rita Martel
27	Paula Amelia Perron	Edward E. & Helen P. Camara
29	Daniel Alfred Boutin	Joseph A. R. & Aline T. Fauvel
31	Gerald Frances Gallagher	George F. & Anna M. Breault

1961 BIRTHS

JANUARY		
2	Kenneth Francis Burns	Francis W. & Veronica L. Riley
3	Sandra Louise Delisle	Edward J. & Helene Roddy
3	Kathleen Ellen Russell	Richard J. & Kathleen Hodgson
5	Donna Marie Lambert	Leon H. & Pauline D. Fortier
6	David Raymond Nicholaou	James P. & Charlotte Dupont
7	Barbara Jean Nabrynski	Frank M. & Josephine Corriere
7	Jeffrey Listern Robinson	Eugene L. & Sybil Blanchard
9	Kathleen Lunn	Gleason W. & Lillian A. Burke
12	Sharon Lee Hardy	Richard A. & Katherine B. Maguire
13	Kellie Ann Gagnon	Harvey J. & Loyce E. Thomas
13	Tracy Lynn Sanborn	David R. & Judith S. Leeman
14	Steven Albert Gauthier	Armand D. & Jacqueline R. Bourgeois
14	Sharon Nastek	Chester A. & Dorothy Avila
15	William Harry Brox	Raymond L. & Dorothea L. Kaatz
15	Janet Denise Goupil	Gilbert P. & Therese R. Thivierge
18	Michelle Marie Gertz	Edward & Charlene A. Bernard
20	Judith Ann Perron	Robert W. & Carol Mann
20	Joseph Kenneth Leo Singelais	Leo H. & Cecile I. Veillette
21	Debra Lee Hoyt	Reginald P. & Barbara S. Baker
21	Gary Myron Leczynski	Myron & Shirley Willette

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Names of Parents
JANUARY		
23	Paula DeLombaerde	Paul H. & Antoinette C. Bujnowska
23	James Joseph Paquette	Edward J. & Urshline E. Collins
24	Shelagh Ann Doherty	James H., Jr. & Mary L. McGaughey
26	Ronald Richard Roy	Ernest A. & Pauline Langlois
27	Mary Ellen Daigle	Henry E. & Joyce O'Hara
28	Lisa Gail Lessard	Wilfred D. & Pauline A. Duchesne
31	Louise Jeanne Matte	Raymond A. & Jeanne M. LeBlanc
FEBRUARY		
1	_____ Metros	John & Phyllis M. Morganti
2	Phillip Albert Clermont	Richard A. & Janice A. Sanford
2	Ronald Victor Joseph Jean	Raymond A. & Rolande Christian
2	Judith Beatrice Moran	Leo R. & Marie J. Tyros
10	Timothy Bourk	Roger E. & Ruthanne E. McCaffrey
10	Christopher Lagos	Charles & Nancy A. Bergeron
11	John Henry Cope	William E. & Barbara J. Silva
12	Kathleen McAnespie	Robert & Ann C. Maguire
12	Charles Aprahamian	George & Barbara Savard
13	Edward Albert Gendreau	Edward E. & Judith E. Perras
15	Sandra Jane Winget	Albert H. & Alvena C. Calhoun
16	Diane Jeanne Mahaleris	Charles L. & Blanche A. Gauthier
16	Peter Charles Martin	John O. & Virginia L. Kostka
16	David Peter Ward	Chester W. & Aline R. Simmons
17	Patricia Ann Chaplin	Edward R. & Dolores M. O'Neil
18	Sharon Ann Dever	Gerard F. & Charlotte A. Rocha
18	Roberta Kay Taplin	Chester D. & Norma J. Haynes
19	Kathleen Ann Charette	William J., Jr. & Frances M. Lecourt
20	Kathleen Ann Boyd	Gerald F. & Ann M. Finneran
22	_____ Bernard	George J. & Alison Trombla
22	David Alan Kopacz	Robert A. & Kay D. Moore
24	Denise Linda Tardiff	Raymond J. & Irene Robert
25	Patricia Grzesik	Edward R. & Dolores Riendeau
27	Willis Thomas Belleville	Willis T. & Marjorie A. Kiernan
27	Elaine Wilkins	Allen E. & Jeanne L. Parent
28	Alice Blanche Chausse	Rudolph M. & Theresa A. Cunha
MARCH		
4	Mark Wayne Demmons	Robert A. & Dorothy Newcomb
8	Kathy Lynne Fadden	Linscott & Eleanor R. Nichols
8	Karen Lee Fadden	Linscott & Eleanor R. Nichols
9	Mark Daniel Galloway	Richard J. & Lillian Kealy
9	Michael James Laurin	Roger & Mary P. Sweeney
11	Suzan Gloria Bergeron	Ernest J. & Doris M. Breault
11	Mary Elizabeth Neville	Donald W. & Amelia A. Stanaski
12	Jay Patrick Greenhalge	John F. & Phyllis R. Corey
13	William Anthony Manning	Anthony & Geraldine Gadourey

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Names of Parents
MARCH		
15	Laura Ann Romanowski	Albert & Dorothy Lawson
16	————— Hamel	Maurice L. & Pauline Leferriere
17	Suzanne Patricia Angers	John P. & Flore Fortin
19	James G. Wholey	John B. & Mary J. Plourde
19	Joseph N. Wholey	John B. & Mary J. Plourde
21	Michael Normand Comtois	Maurice N. & Ann M. Curran
26	Pamela Theresa Hall	Armand A. J. & Gabrielle E. Gaucher
27	Michael William Caveney	Joseph W. & Marilyn P. Hall
29	Kevin Peter Mullin	William J. & Irene L. Bechard
31	James David Cornellier	Andrew E., Jr. & Florence Janek
31	Richard Paul Smith	Richard P. & Patricia M. Kelly

APRIL

1	Kathleen Lee Vigeant	Maurice P. & Dorothy Rollo
2	Diane Marie Regan	Raymond F. & Cecile J. Roy
2	Arthur Joseph Proteau, Jr.	Arthur J. & Jeannette E. Courtois
4	Gay M. Kleiser	John Allison & Shirley E. Cuzzo
5	Sharon Pauline Martineau	Paul A. & Therese E. Courcy
7	Linda Mary Carragher	James J., Jr. & Maureen E. Shore
8	Diane Labbe	Maurice M. & Doris Turcotte
9	Stephen Wesley DeBow	Currie L. M., Jr. & Eleanor S. Linton
9	Eileen Ann Sevigny	Conrad & Jeanne Lemay
9	Charles Steven Abdinoor, Jr.	Charles & Bernice M. Rowe
11	Rosemary Claire Lamoureux	Marcel J. & Rose Haggerty
11	David Roland Emond	Maurice & Madeline A. Laberge
14	Joseph Gouveia, Jr.	Joseph & Beverly Huntoon
14	Jeffrey Warren Delaware	Warren M. & Mary B. Lessard
14	Donna Marie Lussier	Joseph V. & Pauline Morin
15	Pamela Clara Huntley	Robert M. & Virginia A. Rogers
15	Sandra Lee Hamel	Albert J. & Dolores Hebert
17	Cheryl Ann Corey	Robert J. & Joyce C. Blanchette
18	Ellen Louise Woods	John F. & Lou Ellen Bamford
19	Roberta Fay Kohanski	Robert W. & Mary Ellen Courtney
20	George Maurice Bogochow	Stanley G. & Simone G. Rousseau
21	Sandra Malliaros	John G. & Dorothy Christie
22	Ellen Lawrenson	Henry J. & Eleanor F. Peltier
23	Robert Roland Boisvert	Roland J. & Jacqueline Hanson
23	Katherine Mary Xaros	Louis L. & Dorothy M. Kesmetis
24	Kathleen Ann Swiderski	Thaddeus & Ann Copley
30	James Charles Booras	Charles D. & Mary Neofotistos
30	Michael A. DeVincenzi	Aldo & Julia Eliopoulos

MAY

2	Paul Francis Normandin	Edward A. & Barbara A. Hartley
2	Jan Andrew Szymanski, Jr.	Jan A. & Sophia C. Bonczar

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Names of Parents
MAY		
5	Lisa Marie Caterino	Norbert E., Jr. & Dorothy M. Densmore
5	Stella Ann Graham	Alexander & Alice Kokinacis
5	Denise Rachel Jacques	Robert H. & Madeleine M. Frechette
9	Mark Martineau	Andre J. & Shirley Falardeau
10	Daniel Michael Buote	Donald M. & Elaine Noel
11	Judy May Hickey	Roy A. & Darlene S. Wolery
11	Kathleen Anne Senior	Thomas R. & Annamarie E. Spעד
15	Carolyn Jeanne Buck	John R. & Jeanne T. Doucette
15	Dennis Albert Deneault	Albert O. & Janet Surprenant
16	Mark J. Niemaszky	Joseph E. & Helen Grochmal
16	Jacqueline Marie Phaneuf	Paul H. & Mary K. Fitzgerald
17	Christopher Richard Bradley	Francis R., Jr. & Barbara A. Nagle
17	Joseph Ogonowski	Alexander & Theresa Dawidowicz
17	Giles Francis Rabideau	Giles C. & Dolores Coupal
20	William Francis Keefe, Jr.	William E. & Elaine M. McArthur
20	Nancy Lorraine Michaud	Leo P. & Loretta Allard
20	Darryl Peter LeBel	Paul R. & Theresa A. Souza
21	Denis Richard Emond	Donald S. & Cecile St. Pierre
21	JoAnn Marie Poirier	Raymond J. & Claire M. Gaudette
23	Kathryn Mary Horman	Raymond, Jr. & Janet Pomerleau
23	Mark John McDuffee	John A. & Gloria Jacques
24	Jamie Lynne Maille	Lionel P. & Mary Galluzzo
25	Patricia Claire Piekarski	William & Claire Copley
26	James John Prokos	James J. & Theresa E. St. Cyr
27	James Francis Langlois	Roland L. & Joan Quinn
27	Dean William Turcotte	Albert A. & Margaret M. Melancon

JUNE

1	Stephen James Panek	Stanley J. & Mary Niemaszky
2	Edward Daniel Kinney	James W. & Eleanor M. Daniels
3	Steven Paul Sevigny	Jos. W. Paul & Irene Blanchet
4	John Joseph King, II	John J. & Lucille M. Balsamo
5	Robert Eugene Coutu	Wilfred J. & Juliette Chalifoux
6	Peter Thomas Wasik, Jr.	Peter T. & Beverly A. Boucher
8	Frank A. Agrella	Frank J. & Barbara A. Buckley
8	Michael Robert Dumont	Roland R. & Ellen Olsen
8	David Louis Greenwood	Joseph L. & Lorraine Mendes
9	_____ Queenan	Owen & Carole A. Sloat
10	Sharon Ann Krawczyk	Frank J. & Dolores S. Gazda
10	Darlene Lillian Roussell	Leo G. & Juliette C. St. Amand
11	Paula Nickologianes	Vasillios & Joanne Pearl
11	Donna-Marie Dorothy Roy	George G. & Virginia H. Carroll
12	Daniel Louis Dussault	Paul M. & Esther I. Robinson
12	Michael Latulippe	Robert P. & Doris A. Vezina

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Names of Parents
JUNE		
12	Bryant Roland Wagner	Richard R. & Jeanne C. Poirier
13	Michael James Miamis	James D. & Pauline Rouvalis
14	Gordon Paul Clegg	George J. Mary E. Travieso
15	Shawn Michael Finnegan	Leonard W. & Claire A. Beland
15	Dennis Roy Williams	Forrest G. & Eleanor B. Staublely
16	Susan Ann Miner	Rene & Barbara Stanavich
19	Douglas John Bailey	Edward Russell & Ida Yvonne Pelletier
20	Clinton Willis Fox	Franklin P. & Violet Dwire
20	Daniel Wilfrid Martin	Wilfrid E. & Dolores R. Morrissette
21	Diane Lucille Chausse	Gerard O. & Jacqueline Giguere
22	Philip George Cote	Paul L. & Mary T. Alves
23	Ronald Paul Guinazzo, Jr.	Ronald P. & Gloria Soulard
24	Brenda Lee Albert	Bertrand & Elizabeth Kyajohnian
26	Paula Jeanne Asselin	Chester A. & Aline T. Paquin
26	Brian Francis McLarney	Francis D. & Janice E. Sullivan
26	Michelle Tessier	Roger A. & Rita M. Brunelle
27	James Boutin	Roger & Pearl Marcotte
28	Arthur Henry Dery	Albert E. & Irene Richard
28	David Andrew Levesque	Raymond L. & Claire H. Tardiff
29	Christine Natsios	Peter C. & Cynthia A. Scagos
29	Joseph Edward Salem	Thomas J. & Margaret M. McKeon
30	Diane Pauline Chandonnet	Normand J. & Marie E. L. Geoffroy
JULY		
1	Kevin Paul Gendreau	John A. & Rita F. Camire
2	James Stanley Cozy, Jr.	James S. & Constance M. McNamara
3	Linda Marie April	Gerard A. & Rita J. Grenier
4	William Armand Trudel	William A. & Rita F. Proulx
5	Catherine M. Koufogazos	George A. & Irene M. Terenzio
9	Eric Robert Waaramaa	Jackie B. & Constance M. Anderson
10	Maura Elizabeth Zaker	John R. & Mary V. Shea
10	Linda Jean Brown	Francis Anthony & Jean Alice Ratcliffe
12	Paul George Landry	Albert S. & Adrienne M. Roy
12	Peter Robert Landry	Albert S. & Adrienne M. Roy
15	Stephen Richard Soucy	Gerald R. & Eileen M. Sullivan
16	Raymond Andrew Paquette	Raymond G. & Blanche A. Belleville
16	Roland Richard Gerard Beauchesne	J. Roland E. & M. Lina E. Blais
17	David Edward Pater	Chester J. & Ann M. Mitchell
18	Jeanne Marie Vigeant	Leo P. & Natalie A. Roth
19	Roger Ernest Allard, Jr.	Roger E. & Mary J. Kozak
20	Edward James Champagne, III	Edward J. Jr. & Carole A. Kondra
24	Stephanie Ann Makos	Stephen & Frances Stavropulos

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Names of Parents
JULY		
25	Patricia Ann Dion	Gerard J. & Rosalie M. Frechette
25	Kevin A. Robert	Ernest & Simone R. Deneault
25	Lucie Madeleine Lafontaine	Edward J. C. & Jeannette D'Amour
26	Wayne Lester Garland	Harold L., Jr. & Susanne C. Denham
28	Deborah Ann Simon	John & Janice M. Cox
29	Robert Thomas Gaudreau	Edward L. & Virginia M. Breen
29	Michael Christopher Palermo	Michael C. & Alice McEachern
30	Darlene Gayle Delaney	Frederick T. & Gladys S. Francoeur
AUGUST		
2	_____ Daigle	Gerald B. & Rita Chamberland
2	Gayle Jean Lyko	Ernest & Shirley Kinney
2	Deborah Lee Poirier	Joseph L. & Rose Jean
3	Cheryl Ann Boutilier	Richard C. & Joan LeBleu
4	Julie Ann Kane	John W. & Doreen Mahoney
5	William Leighton Richardson	Roscoe L., Jr. & Sheila Reynolds
9	Daniel Joseph Dalphond	Donald P. & Dorothy Y. Morin
9	Peter Michael Lasorsa	Joseph P. & Frances M. Trodella
9	Raymond Michael Sideman	Raymond F. & Cecile R. Carboneau
10	James Stephen AmRhein	James A. & Jacqueline M. Ducharme
10	Daniel Patrick Monette	Lester W., Jr. & Barbara L. Gill
12	John Ralph Carnevale, Jr.	John R. & Alice Garboski
12	Marie Anne Pare	Paul J. & Margaret E. Banks
12	Karen Ann Szarek	Thaddeus E. & Veronica H. Moriarty
14	Mary Elizabeth Flynn	Thomas L. & Marie D. Britton
15	_____ Ray	Joseph E. & Lorraine Roussell
15	Steven Richard Johnson	Richard G. & Lillian E. Morin
18	Paula Marie Rita Bisson	Harvey G. & Rita R. Nadeau
18	Daniel Fadden	Russell W. & Joan E. Sheehan
19	Nancy Rosemarie Dalpe	Joseph Louis A. & Marie R. S. Thibodeau
19	Rebecca Jean Dunn	Robert R. & Clara L. Arnold
19	Donald Scott Gibson	Robert S. & Helen B. Golec
20	Linda Ann Merrill	Albert C. & Patricia A. Bourgeois
20	Dawn Allison Fox	Donald B. & Gladys P. Greenhalge
21	John Edward Hire	Warren F. & Luba Butko
23	Jay Ronald David Gignac	Gerard R. & Ruth T. Marcotte
24	Gail Rose Sawyer	Clyde & Gertrude C. Vivier
24	John Peter Tierney	John P. & Mary A. Roberts
25	George Lewis Demetroulakos	Lewis J. & Elpiniki Eonas
25	Alec Paul Szymanski	Alexander J. & Lorraine T. Chenelle
26	Paul David Freitas	Joseph F. & Angelina Gouveia
27	Paula Jean Gelineau	Charles L. & Stella L. Belliveau
29	Judith Ann Vandette	Leo A. & Loretta Charette
30	Richard Arthur Gariepy	Normand L. & Doris M. Lambert
31	Suzanne Marie Chandonnet	Arthur A. & Doris T. Favreau

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Names of Parents
SEPTEMBER		
1	Cathy Theresa St. Pierre	Rudolph R. & Carmen E. Ducharme
4	Lisa Ann MacQueen	Raymond J. & Helen M. Reynolds
8	Robin Lynn Albert	David A. & Coletta J. Watts
8	John Brian Williams	Milton J. & Frances A. McQuade
10	Cindy Lou Tyrrell	Robert A. & Theresa V. St. Armand
11	Raymond Paul Sawlan	Stanley V. & Lillian L. Stuart
11	Tracy Ellen Marion	Gerald R. & Barbara J. Boyle
11	Christopher Edward Farrell	James E. & Patricia A. Marsh
11	Dianna June Riel	Raymond R. & June S. Schoff
14	————— Boumil	Robert S. & Geraldine Barton
15	Paula Ann Laferriere	Roger R. & Barbara A. Shea
16	Stephen Francis Delisle	Marcel R. & Martha Y. Perrault
16	Richard Robert Lessard	Robert A. & Therese M. Marchand
16	James F. Soulard	Francis R. & Beverly Belloli
16	Deborah Ann Fortin	Richard C. & Virginia D. Deschene
19	Mary Royal Finch	Robert A. & Eileen F. Small
19	Timothy Joseph Kulis	Joseph S. & Virginia T. McNulty
20	Stephen Michael Kawa	Edward S. & Janet R. McCarthy
23	Kathleen Marie Oczkowski	Joseph J. & Mary M. Reinert
24	Richard Bernard Monbleau	Normand G. & Alice Riberdy
24	Ronald Edward Monbleau	Normand G. & Alice Riberdy
24	Karen Cathleen Almeida	Joseph E. & Barbara J. Spencer
26	Jane Marie Ransom	Lyle E. & Lorraine Reeves
26	Susan Ellen Connolly	Robert J. & Mary H. Wholey
27	————— Descoteaux	Harold & Elizabeth L. Bursmith
28	Arthur Thomas Metherall	Arnold H. & Anna M. Corey
28	Pamela Ann Guimond	Roland A. & Constance D. Houle
29	Kevin Raymond Hamel	Raymond D. & Joyce B. Harper
30	William John McKenna	Walter J. & Jeanne L. Turcotte

OCTOBER

1	Patricia Ann LoMaglio	Francis L. & Marianne Duffy
4	Robert Gerard Belleville	Roland A. & Therese St. Cyr
6	Denise Marie Riel	Richard R. & Nancy M. Silva
6	Elaine Monoxelos	Milton C. & Anna E. Lazarakis
6	Nancy Ann Daigle	Ernest & Mary Veiga
8	Mark William Hapenny	James M. & Joan M. Horn
8	Donna Lorraine Thivierge	Roger H. & Rita M. B. Bedard
9	Deryl Joseph Dusablon	Francis A. & Denise Julian
10	Mark Joseph Leclair	Henry J. & Shirley C. Gagnon
10	Susan Joyce Harding	James T. & Joyce L. Major
10	Leonard Daniel McGuire	Walter R. & Eleanor F. Wood
10	Kenneth Raymond Rousseau	Raymond & Olive Newcomb
11	Scott Allan Young	Charles Peter & Wilma Ann Coull
14	Female ————— Byrand	Leo F. & Judith C. Cheetham

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OCTOBER		
18	Lorrie Ann Ryan	Robert W. & Carol A. Beausoleil
18	Linda Marie Spanos	James G. & Theresa Gauthier
20	Michael Paul Doucot	Charles Robert & Barbara Ann Champy
20	Kathleen Brown	Arthur H. & Adelaide Farris
20	Steven Michael Lupien	Robert P. & Jeanne Roberge
22	Lawrence William Cannon	James P. & Lorraine Levasseur
22	Gloria Marie Flaherty	Bernard J. & Clair M. Marcotte
22	Thomas Michael LeBlanc	Roger E. & Patricia J. Foy
23	Steven Edmond Kelly	Edmond & Mary B. Murphy
23	Raymond Patrick Barrett, Jr.	Raymond P. & Elaine F. Craib
24	Brenda Aline Champy	Edward P., Jr. & Aline Audet
24	Lori Ann Lloyd	Donald E. & Selma F. Smith
24	Kevin Douglas Wholey	Kevin T. & June F. Sullivan
24	Cynthia Anne Belida	Leo & Anna M. Scholl
26	_____ Wilson	Ralph J. & Elaine Cloutier
26	Patricia Louise Lloyd	John S. & Mary A. Smith
26	Daniel Elroy Reeves	Danny R. & Alma R. Richardson
27	Lawrence Richard Halloran	F. Lawrence & Carolyn M. Tanguay
27	Kathleen Anne Gauthier	Raymond R. & Martha M. Fuhs
28	John Lawrence Sullivan	Patrick R. & Roberta B. Vallente
29	Linda Rita Larose	Paul E. & Lorraine A. Dufresne
30	Charles Loiselle	Leo J. & Estelle Martineau
31	John Anthony Corbin	Joseph A. & Henriette J. Berard
31	James Walter Lagasse	Andre W. & Barbara H. Callahan
31	Susan Lorraine Matte	Theodore E. & Elaine A. Leedberg
NOVEMBER		
1	Donald Alfred Couture	Henry L. & Lillian M. Adams
2	David Arthur Pappaconstantinou	William N. & Elaine Brooks
2	Genevieve Jean Paquette	Francis J. & Jean Radziminski
6	Dawna Karen Fox	George R. & Virginia R. Russon
6	Suzanne Renee Parent	Gerald D. & Claire G. Lavallee
10	Michael Lee Barros	Lionel J. & Patricia D. McGrath
11	Joanne Lucille Robert	Wilfrid J. & Jeannine Bibeault
15	Patience Eliza Jennings	Joseph M. & Elizabeth M. Harmon
15	Patricia Ann Welch	Arthur G. & Catherine P. Cox
18	Michael Frederick Dwinell	Frederick C. & Dorothy A. McCall
18	Michael Robert Ryan	William E. & Shirley E. Allison
21	Timothy Patrick Murphy	Thomas Joseph & Pauline Rita Mahoney
21	Stephen Francis Wasylak, Jr.	Stephen F. & Sophia A. Szarek
25	Susan Rita Daigle	Joseph D. & Mary J. Goudreau
29	Gregory Newbert Flemming	Donald N. & Paula K. Kuchinsky

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Names of Parents
NOVEMBER		
30	Scott David Entwistle	Harold L. & Ruth L. Laporte
30	Sandra Arlene Robinson	Warren E. & Douglas M. King
DECEMBER		
4	Marc Bernier	Roland A. & Therese M. Jussaume
4	Leanne Marie Shanahan	George E. & Eleanor M. Clayton
5	Sheryl Anne Dube	Richard & Jean A. Nickerson
7	Lise Mary Annette Bazin	Bruno & Pauline Nicol
7	Marie Ann Bradbury	Linwood K. & Mary L. Gomes
9	Martha Jane Farmer	John F. & Jean Galvin
10	Richard Charles Bursey	Raymond G. & Lorraine Bonin
11	Paul Richard Farris	Fred & Doris B. Dube
12	Daniel Gilbert Conneilly	Kenneth Joseph & Martha L. Layman
15	Michael Edward Carter	Donald R. & Kathleen Casey
20	Paul Raymond Chalifoux	Joseph R. & Marie D. Coutu
21	Karen Marie Ferber	David S. & Mary F. Cielakie
23	Linda Felicia King	Donald P. & Barbara A. DeProffio
28	Joseph Scott DeMonaco	Joseph W. & Janet Boisvert

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REPORT OF DEATHS REGISTERED DURING THE YEAR 1961

Date of Death	Name	Yrs.	Mos.	Days	Birthplace
JANUARY					
7	Gerard E. Menard	49	4	—	Lowell
13	Lumina (Perreault) Houle	84	—	—	Canada
14	Frank Ray	80	1	25	Lawrence, Mass.
15	Catherine F. (Murphy) O'Neill	74	—	—	Ireland
15	James Pappas	72	—	—	Macedonia, Greece
28	Sheldon Francis Cailler	47	—	—	Taunton, Mass.
28	Constandina (Mavrakis) Belesis	62	—	—	Sparta, Greece
FEBRUARY					
2	Mabel (Coburn) Senter	83	—	—	Lowell, Mass.
3	Mary Elizabeth (Newbegin) (Sylvester) Miller	82	6	13	Shapleigh, Me.
10	Leonie (Guilmette) Provencher	85	3	15	Princeville, Can.
10	Peter A. St. Germain	60	—	—	Fall River
10	Mary A. Hurley	87	2	10	Newburyport
16	Urbain Boulanger	84	7	5	St. Romain, Can.
28	William Arthur Mills	78	9	15	Canada
MARCH					
8	Edgar Lewis Mevis	79	8	1	Cooperstown, N. Y.
9	Thomas M. Foy	67	—	—	New Bedford
15	Bertha (Hartt) Cheney	95	3	15	Norton, N. B.
17	David Devanney	88	11	17	County Tyrone, Ireland
17	Daniel Fred Knowlton	80	11	19	Lowell
22	Hadley Kelil	69	—	—	Lebanon, Syria
26	Blanche (Laforge) Robert	58	—	—	Putnam, Conn.
27	Thomas W. Costello	49	5	18	Woburn
29	Michael G. Psoinos	41	—	—	Lowell
APRIL					
3	Victor Vermette	77	2	22	St. John, Can.
4	Infant Kleiser	—	—	10 Min.	Malden
7	Michael John Sokolowski	67	8	22	Poland
8	Josephine Lillian (Flurry) Fox	79	11	8	Westport, N. Y.
10	Maria (Duplesis) Paquette	64	—	—	St. François du Lac, P. Q.
10	Szymon Pelczar AKA Simon Pelczar	68	—	—	Poland
12	Potitsa (Aka Panagiota) (Economakos) Boutselis	86	—	—	Laconia, Greece
13	Lillian C. (Dube) Durand	53	4	20	Lowell
18	Cora G. Richardson	63	3	21	Dracut
26	Martha A. (Orr) Richardson	86	8	23	Bocabec, N. B.

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MAY					
12	Arthur J. Fournier	61	—	—	Lowell
14	Grace A. (Comtois) Gauthier	42	—	—	Lowell
15	James J. Powers	77	—	—	Lowell
21	Hermelia (Paquin) Paquin	64	6	24	St. Ursule, Can.
22	John Joseph Donnelly	70	—	—	Lowell
23	Mary Johnstone	—	6	21	Methuen
JUNE					
3	Rosalie (Labrie) Cossette	67	—	—	Canada
5	Andrew Stanaski	78	6	5	Poland
6	Carl W. Mason	71	—	—	Lowell
9	Sophie (Lebrun) Lebrun	77	9	25	France
11	William J. Clarke	66	11	—	Lowell
14	Katherine (Kesmetis) Psoinos	37	—	—	Lowell
15	Regina D. (Pouliot) Caulfield	78	6	16	Quebec, Can.
16	William A. Trudel	37	—	—	Lowell
21	William Clayton	86	—	—	Lynn Cheshire, Eng.
JULY					
1	Blanche (Barrette) Vallerand	73	8	28	Montreal, Can.
7	John W. Rafferty	72	7	17	Lowell
9	Edward Hanna	81	0	23	Quebec, Can.
9	Guy B. Hunting	79	3	5	Dracut
9	Katina (Catherine) (Pitsios) Faneros	73	—	—	Alatsata, Asia Minor
13	Steven Ralph Martin	—	8	4	Lowell
14	Wilfred Gagnon	58	3	8	Fall River
19	James F. Angluin	51	—	—	Lowell
22	William H. Lavell	84	10	26	Lowell
25	William Henry Gladue	21	5	5	Lawrence
27	Louis Kochanek	57	—	—	Lowell
30	Bridget J. Greany	85	—	—	Ireland
AUGUST					
3	Mary Veronica Szelest	77	—	—	Poland
4	Clara(Barras) Gervais	75	—	—	Lowell
11	Joseph Edward Salem	—	1	14	Lowell
17	Nathaniel Landry	84	—	—	Canada
19	Elias Nicholas Vlahakis	83	7	18	Sparta, Greece
21	Arthur Cornellier	91	8	6	St. Melanie, Can.
22	Spyros P. Georges	36	—	—	Lowell
23	Franklin J. Baker	51	10	22	Putnam, Conn.
25	Roseanna (Poirier) Owen	87	3	—	Montreal, Can.
28	Moise L. (AKA Moses) Daigle	80	9	9	Lawrence

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SEPTEMBER					
1	Ellen A. Larson Peterson	86	—	—	Sweden
5	Pepina (Laporta) Passalacqua	72	—	—	Italy
8	Peter Watson, Jr.	82	9	1	Manchester, Eng.
9	Anna Marie (Kelly) Welch	53	—	—	Lowell
11	Ida (Duffen) Fisher	80	3	22	Lawrence
16	Wilfred Martin	54	4	20	Lowell
19	Elizabeth B. M. (Dick) Dixon	60	4	17	Chatham, N. B.
19	Mary P. (Gagnon) Landry	82	—	—	Canada
21	Beatrice Adella (Barrett) Webster	74	2	15	New Haven, Conn.
21	Mary (Wasylak) Wojcik	74	—	—	Poland
21	Rose (Cote) Cadorette	86	—	—	St. Flore, Can.
24	Louis G. Neofotistos	67	—	—	Sparta, Greece
OCTOBER					
11	George M. Prescott	68	—	—	Lawrence
12	Arthur Thomas Metherall	—	—	14	Lowell
14	Infant Bryand	—	—	10 Min.	Lowell
19	Stephanie Makos	—	3	—	Lowell
19	Marie Blanche Roseanna (Cossette) Lapointe	67	—	—	Lowell
30	Joseph A. Delisle	51	0	15	Lowell
NOVEMBER					
4	Yvonne (Betty) Bastarache	58	—	—	Dracut
8	Anna (Charette) Proulx	75	5	—	Concord, N. H.
13	Veronica Bazel (Wojtowicz)	79	—	—	Poland
13	Male Gagnon	—	—	10 Hrs.	Lowell
23	Laura (Patenaude) Plourde	70	1	17	Lowell
24	Stuart Newton Smith	83	6	28	Ballymena, Ireland
30	Mary (Kudla) (Kardys) Deputat	81	10	14	Poland
DECEMBER					
4	Raymond Carleton Choquette	22	11	18	Methuen
4	Joseph J. Robichaud	24	—	15	Methuen
8	Alice (Bolton) Garside	58	11	28	Dracut
9	Edward J. Champagne	47	—	—	Wrentham
14	Margaret (Kennedy) Jennings	73	—	—	Ireland
20	Emma (Portelance) Crete	81	—	—	Deschambeault, P. Q., Can.
23	Elizabeth (Hennessy) Cognac	65	—	—	Lowell
24	Roseanne (Allard) Bursey	66	—	—	Lowell
29	Eliza A. (Andrade) Mendes	59	—	—	Madeira
31	Paul R. Merrill	70	—	—	Dracut

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1961 JURY LIST OF THE TOWN OF DRACUT, MASS.

- Bernice M. Abdinoor, 46 Merrimack Terrace.
Husband employed by Albrite Carpet Cleaning Co.
- Clarence E. Allard, 1237 Lakeview Avenue.
Roofer, Douglas Roofing Co., Lowell, Mass.
- Jacqueline Allegrosso, 24 Long Pond Drive.
Husband self-employed, Frank's TV Service, Dracut, Mass.
- Mary E. Bean, 49 Bouchard Avenue.
Husband employed aircraft worker, Hanscom Field, Bedford, Mass.
- Thomas J. Beaumier, Peters Pond Drive.
Employed by Raytheon Mfg. Co., Andover, Mass.
- Henry L. Beausoleil, 16 Ansonia Street.
Employed as custodian, Lowell, Mass.
- Leo Belida, 75 Faith Avenue.
Employed as installer, N.E. Tel. & Tel. Co., Lowell, Mass.
- Irene R. Bernhardt, 548 Merrimack Avenue.
Husband self-employed florist, Dracut, Mass.
- Grace G. Betty, 40 Nashua Road.
Housewife. Husband employed waste paper company, Lowell, Mass.
- Clayton L. Bigger, 109 Faith Avenue.
Employed as maintenance man, Walden Pond Reservation, Concord, Mass.
- Raymond P. Blanchette, 67 Florence Street.
Employed as cost estimator, Raytheon Mfg. Co., Andover, Mass.
- Mildred B. Blazon, 259 Dracut Street.
Saleslady, G. C. Prince & Co., Lowell, Mass.
- Helen J. Bogochow, 14 Dale Avenue.
Housewife. Husband employed as garage owner, Dracut, Mass.
- Simone G. Bogochow, 10 Catherine Street.
Housewife. Husband employed as garage owner, Dracut, Mass.
- Dorothy M. Boumil, 166 Pleasant Street.
Housewife.
- Gerald F. Boyd, 54 Martin Terrace.
Employed by N.E. Tel. & Tel. Co., Lowell, Mass.

- Catherine V. Brennan, 372 Old Marsh Hill Road.
Housewife. Husband employed as police inspector.
- Minnie W. Brock, 1473 Lakeview Avenue.
Employed as operator, N.E. Tel. & Tel. Co., Lowell, Mass.
- John Buck, 50 Oak Terrace.
Aircraft Mechanic, Hanscom Field, Bedford, Mass.
- Lena J. Caravoulas, 100 Old Meadow Road.
Husband employed as chef, Olde Coache Inn, Nashua, N.H.
- Helena Chadwick, 65 Old Road.
At home.
- Isabel A. Charette, 8 Sixth Street.
Stitcher, C. F. Hathaway Co., Lowell, Mass.
- Gerald A. Chenevert, 15 Waldo Street.
Engineering Asst., Merrimack-Essex Electric Co., Lowell, Mass.
- Elizabeth C. Cognac, 486 Hildreth Street.
At home.
- Dena K. Colburn, 1412 Bridge Street.
Employed as Assistant matron, Lowell, Mass.
- Leonard S. Collins, 1315 Bridge Street.
Self employed as landscape contractor, Dracut, Mass.
- Paul C. Copp, 288 Bouchard Avenue.
Employed as sheet metal worker, AVCO Corp., Wilmington, Mass.
- Arthur W. Crosby, 109 Harold Avenue.
Retired, formerly employed by City of Lowell.
- Eleanor M. Cutrumbes, 51 Phineas Street.
Husband self-employed as farmer.
- Joseph H. Daigle, 657 Mammoth Road.
Retired. Formerly employed VA Hospital, Bedford, Mass.
- Theresa M. D'Amboise, 26 Delbert Street.
Husband Proprietor Broadway Auto Body, Lowell, Mass.
- Doris A. Dastous, 48 Fox Street.
Husband employed as accountant, F. I. Carter & Sons, Tewksbury, Mass.
- Alice T. Davidson, 15 Stanley Avenue.
Employed as inspector, Minneapolis-Honeywell Co., Lowell, Mass.

- Armour J. Davidson, 98 Varnum Road.
Employed as installer-repairman, N.E. Tel. & Tel. Co., Lowell, Mass.
- John Deforge, 53 Brissette Street.
Retired. Formerly machinist Beverly, Mass.
- Marcel Delisle, 17 Roland Avenue.
Employed by Western Electric Co., No. Andover, Mass.
- Blanche A. Deloge, 1188 Merrimack Avenue.
Employed as Inspector, Western Electric Co., No. Andover, Mass.
- Roy W. Denno, 47 Chapman Street.
Employed as stationary fireman, Raytheon Co., Waltham, Mass.
- Josephine F. Duffy, 466 Pleasant Street.
Housewife. Husband salesman Kyanize Paints, Inc., Everett, Mass.
- Irene Dumont, 11 Pare Avenue.
Employed as postal clerk, Lowell, Mass.
- Charles L. Durand, 516 Pleasant Street.
Self-employed as carpenter.
- Kathleen F. Dutney, 74 Parker Road.
Husband employed as truck-driver, E. A. Wilson., Lowell, Mass.
- Charlotte A. Eadie, 206 Jones Avenue.
Husband self-employed as fruit grower.
- Margaret E. Egan, 25 Intervale Avenue.
Employed as credit interviewer, Lowell, Mass.
- Paul F. Egan, 127 Varnum Road.
Employed as inventory clerk, Vertipile, Inc., Lowell, Mass.
- Jeannette Elie, 50 Malwood Avenue.
Housewife. Husband self-employed milk dealer, Dracut, Mass.
- Phyllis M. Ellis, 30 Faith Avenue.
Housewife. Husband employed Raytheon Mfg., Waltham, Mass.
- Richard R. Fadden, 15 Bouchard Avenue.
Employed as installer, N.E. Tel. & Tel. Co., Lowell, Mass.
- Leo J. Ferron, 469 Nashua Road.
Employed as manager, Grady's Spa, Inc., Dracut, Mass.
- Isabelle L. Fleming, 21 Pillsbury Avenue.
Husband employed as troubleman, Merrimack-Essex Electric Co., Lowell, Mass.

William L. Fligg, 72 St. James Street.

Employed as letter carrier, U. S. Gov't. Post Office, Lowell, Mass.

Charles G. Foster, 58 Turgeon Avenue.

Industrial engineer, Raytheon Co., Lowell, Mass.

Alice M. Frappier, 27 Stephen Avenue.

Employed as sales clerk, A. G. Pollard & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Amedee E. Gagnon, 94 Valley Road.

Self-employed as salesman, "The Voice of St. Jude Magazine."

Donald W. Garland, 35 Phineas Street.

Employed by N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., Lowell, Mass.

Charlotte E. Gendreau, 48 Loon Hill Road.

Employed as inspector, Raytheon Co., Lowell, Mass.

Emile Gendreau, 16 Vermont Avenue.

Retired. Formerly diemaker, Admiral Paper Box, Andover, Mass.

James J. Gendreau, 204 Arlington Street.

Employed as toolmaker, U. S. Government, Bedford, Mass.

Frank F. Gleason, 615 Mammoth Road.

Employed by National Polytech. Inc., Wilmington, Mass.

Alice Gormley, 1 Water Street.

Sewing Instructor, Middlesex County Training School, No. Chelmsford, Mass.

Arthur L. Graff, 1697 Lakeview Avenue.

Employed by Cherry & Webb's, Lowell, Mass.

Rita A. Green, 151 Haverhill Street.

Husband employed as ordnanceman, Fort Devens, Mass.

Leo Grondine, 228 Varnum Road.

Employer as foreman roofer, Belanger & Sons, Cambridge, Mass.

Esther Guimond, 451 Hildreth Street.

Husband self-employed as milk dealer, Dracut, Mass.

Ira A. Hammond, 39 Navy Yard Road.

Employed by Raytheon Mfg., North Andover, Mass.

Gladys Handley, 19 Lafayette Street.

Husband employed as police officer, Dracut, Mass.

Ellen A. Henson, 1130 Lakeview Abenue.

Husband employed as machine operator, Betty Ann Corp., Lowell, Mass.

Avis G. Hunter, 73 Oak Terrace.

Husband employed as refrigeration supervisor, H. P. Hood & Sons, Charlestown.

Leo J. Jean, 4 Mill Street.

Linotype Operator, Wakefield Item Publishing Co., Wakefield, Mass.

Roger F. Kennedy, 122 New Boston Road.

Employed by N.E. Tel. & Tel. Co., Lowell, Mass.

Eugene J. D. Lafond, 871 Mammoth Road.

Employed by Raytheon Mfg. Co., Lowell, Mass.

Robert C. Lalime, 99 Vermont Avenue.

Employed by U.S.A.F. Research Center, Bedford, Mass.

Hormidas G. Lambert, 106 Leonard Avenue.

Employed as truck driver, A. H. Notini Co., Lowell, Mass.

Raymond J. Langlois, Jr., 18 Middle Street.

Employed as toll testman, N.E. Tel. & Tel. Co., Lawrence, Mass.

Florence G. LeBlanc, 588 Nashua Road.

Housewife. Husband employed by School Dept., Dracut, Mass.

Fred R. Leibold, 56 Henry Avenue.

Self-employed as contractor.

James A. Lowrey, 191 Varnum Road.

Automobile dealer, Wannalancit Garage, Inc., Lowell, Mass.

R. Almond Lurvey, 99 Old Marsh Hill Road.

Employed as meter reader, Lowell Gas Company.

Rose E. Maille, 60 Wheeler Road.

Matron, Middlesex County Training School, No. Chelmsford.

Cecile Makos, 365 Tyngsboro Road.

Self-employed as proprietor.

Irene C. Marcotte, 38 Brookside Street.

Husband employed as heating mechanic, Fort Devens, Mass.

John M. McArthur, 314 Tenth Street.

Methods Engineer, Raytheon Co., Lowell, Mass.

- Margaret E. McCarthy, 50 Stewart Street.
Clerk, Plunkett Drug Store, Dracut, Mass.
- Hugh E. McKenney, Jr., 50 Charles Street.
Employed by N.E. Tel. & Tel. Co., Lowell, Mass.
- Edward T. McDermott, 124 Bouchard Avenue.
Service Foreman, N.E. Tel. & Tel. Co., Lowell, Mass.
- Arnold H. Methrall, 46 Percy Street.
Employed by Merrimack-Essex Electric Co., Lowell, Mass.
- George Metros, 263 Methuen Street.
Employed by Raytheon Mfg. Co., Lowell, Mass.
- Nicholas Monoxelos, 1384 Lakeview Avenue.
Manager, Thomas Express, Dracut, Mass.
- Lillian H. Moran, 208 Sladen Street.
Employed as bookkeeper, Litchfield Bros. Oil Co. Inc., Dracut, Mass.
- Helena L. Morrison, 67 Spring Park Avenue.
At home.
- Rose A. Myers, 70 Brooks Street.
Husband self-employed as oil dealer.
- George Naish, 26 Emerson Avenue.
Employed at Hanscom Field, Bedford, Mass.
- Constance Neofotistos, 70 Phineas Street.
At home.
- Ernest D. Neveu, 31 Iona Avenue.
Employed by Lowell Sun Publishing Co.
- John E. O'Connor, 51 Maille Avenue
Employed as dye house floor man.
- Samuel G. Oddie, 510 Pleasant Street.
Retired. Formerly employed by American Woolen Co., Dracut, Mass.
- Joseph M. Olshefski, 62 Charles Street.
Layout draftsman, AVCO Corp., Wilmington, Mass.
- George A. O'Malley, Jr., 39 Superior Avenue.
Asst. Manager, Loan Dept., Union National Bank, Lowell, Mass.

Raymond R. Paquin, 95 Old Road.

Tooling Engineer, Trans-sonics, Inc., Lexington, Mass.

George J. Parent, 148 Pleasant Street.

Retired. Formerly plumber, O. P. Viau Co., Lowell, Mass.

John F. Quinn, 21 Arlington Street.

Employed K. L. Shoe Company, Lawrence, Mass.

Armand J. Sancartier, 57 Arlington Avenue.

Self-employed ceiling contractor, Dracut, Mass.

Janice E. Seamans, 19 Stephen Avenue.

Housewife. Husband self-employed building contractor, Dracut, Mass.

Arthur J. Skrekas, 14 Burdette Street.

Employed by Raytheon Mfg. Co., Waltham, Mass.

George R. Smith, 51 Bellevue Street.

Employed by McManmon Nurseries, Dracut, Mass.

Viola G. Snowman, 33 Bouchard Avenue.

Office Clerk, N.E. Forestry Service, Inc., Reading, Mass.

Ada H. Sweeney, 85 Pinckney Street.

Sales Clerk, Kresge Five & Ten, Lowell, Mass.

Ruth M. Szymanski, 89 Spring Park Avenue.

Office secretary, Gaumont Bros., Lowell, Mass.

Mary L. Szymanski, 51 Mill Street.

Nursing Assistance at Bedford VA Hospital, Bedford, Mass.

John H. Talty, 34 Martin Terrace.

Letter carrier, U.S.P.O. Lowell, Mass.

George Turcotte, 25 Turner Avenue.

Employed by J. P. Stevens Merrimack Plant, Dracut, Mass.

Lena L. Valentine, 21 Doyle Avenue.

Husband employed by J. T. Gale & Sons, Tewksbury, Mass.

Agnes Vinal, 21 Amesbury Street.

Husband self-employed as carpenter.

Louis L. Xaros, 85 Bouchard Avenue.

Employed by Coleman Bros. Construction, Readville, Mass.

ASSESSORS ANNUAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1961

Amounts voted at the Annual Meeting held March 11, 1961, to be raised and appropriated for the year 1961.

Moderator	\$ 50.00
Selectmen's Department	6,300.00
Treasurer's Department	5,915.00
Accounting Department	4,515.00
Collector's Department	10,800.00
Assessors' Department	14,285.00
Law Department	1,850.00
Election and Registration	7,010.00
Town Clerk's Department	3,084.00
Planning Board	500.00
Board of Appeals	400.00
Industrial Commission	500.00
Town Hall	4,500.00
Police Department	65,600.00
Sunday Traffic Police	1,248.00
Dog Officer	1,500.00
Fire Department	55,900.00
Dracut Water Supply District	1,000.00
Moth Extermination	4,700.00
Tree Warden	6,500.00
Sealer of Weights	600.00
Contagious Diseases	2,000.00
Board of Health	7,450.00
Ashes and Waste Department	31,500.00
Vital Statistics	650.00
Inspector of Slaughtering	25.00
Inspector of Animals	365.00
Inspector of Buildings	1,800.00
Inspector of Wiring	1,500.00
Highway Maintenance	63,900.00
Special Oiling	7,800.00
Snow and Sand, Nov. and Dec.	2,000.00
Street Lighting	15,237.00
Public Assistance — Aid	150,000.00
Public Assistance — Adm.	14,300.00
Veterans' Benefits — Aid	25,000.00
Veterans' Benefits — Adm.	2,600.00
School Maintenance:	
Expenses and Supplies	149,400.00
Salaries	650,935.00
Vocational Schools	8,000.00
Library Maintenance	11,120.00
Parks and Playgrounds Department	7,300.00

Recreation Commission	3,965.00
Annuities	1,200.00
Insurance	20,000.00
Printing Town Reports	4,371.20
Cemeteries	2,400.00
Finance Committee	50.00
Interest on Loans	64,400.00
Principal on Loans	110,000.00
Veterans' Organizations	1,150.00
Foreclosure of Tax Liens and Conveyance of Property and Sales Committee	2,000.00
Contingent Fund	10,000.00
Planning Board — Master Plan Studies — Housing Act 1954	1,500.00
State Aid for Free Public Library Chapter 760 of 1960	2,871.54
Revolving Fund—Support of Athletics at Dracut High School	5,000.00
Conservation Commission Section 8C of Chapter 40	100.00
Town Hall Parking Lot — Fill, Grade and Oil	2,000.00
1961 Town 4H Clubs	100.00
Two Police Cruisers	3,900.00
New Uniforms for Ten Regular Men on Police Force	1,000.00
Chapter 90 Highway Maintenance	1,500.00
Mammoth Road	10,050.00

Voted to raise and appropriate the following amounts at
the Adjourned Meeting of the Annual Town Meeting,
March 18, 1961.

Painting Street and Traffic Lines	2,000.00
Maintenance and Operation — Suction Pump	600.00
Bellevue Avenue — Repairs — Special Streets Account	3,200.00
Martin Ave. Called Cindy St. — Repairs — Special Streets Account	575.00
Crest Ave. — Repairs — Special Streets Account	2,175.00
Carrington Avenue — Repairs — Special Streets Account	2,100.00
Hopkins Street — Repairs — Special Streets Account	550.00
Savoy Avenue — Repairs — Special Streets Account	975.00
Burnaby Street — Repairs — Special Streets Account	1,175.00
Fuller Ave. — Repairs — Special Streets Account	825.00
Fanning Avenue — Repairs — Special Streets Account	1,550.00
Barton Avenue — Repairs — Special Streets Account	300.00
Katsikas Ave. — Repairs — Special Streets Account	1,100.00
Corner Arlington Street and Montaup Ave. — Special Storm Drain Account	1,120.00
Leonard Avenue — Special Storm Drain Account	1,800.00
Litchfield, Doyer, Turgeon and Bryan Avenues — Special Storm Drain Account	6,200.00
General Maintenance and Repairs of Machinery	1,257.00

Total to be raised and appropriated \$ 1,624,698.74

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Transferred from available funds in 1960	\$ 3,584.40
Transferred from available funds in 1961	162,100.00
Transferred from machinery fund in 1961	2,243.00
Other Amounts to be Raised:	
County Retirement System	12,509.42
Insurance (32B)	9,000.00
Clam Plant	70.29
State Parks and Reservations	5,753.20
State Audit of Municipal Accounts	94.98
County Tax	22,146.20
Tuberculosis Hospital Assessment	3,774.87
Under Estimates of Previous Year State Parks and Reservations	979.99
Under Estimates of Previous Year County Tax	1,326.30
Overlay	\$ 85,866.13
Gross Amount to be raised	\$ 1,934,147.52

Estimated Receipts and Available Funds:

From Income Tax	\$ 171,482.55
Corporation Taxes	38,036.28
Reimbursement on Account of Publicly Owned Land	1,206.69
Old Age Tax (Meals), Chapter 64B, S 10	6,139.84
Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise	120,000.00
Licenses	12,600.00
Fines	100.00
General Government	400.00
Protection of Persons and Property	4,200.00
Health and Sanitation	1,900.00
Charities (other than federal grants)	29,000.00
Old Age Assistance (other than federal grants)	60,000.00
Veterans' Services	8,566.00
School (Funds from Income Tax not included)	68,200.00
Interest on Taxes and Deposits	4,308.11
State Assistance for School Construction Chapter 645, Acts 1948	49,750.00
Farm Animal Excise	445.85
Reimbursement Paraplegics	2,400.00
Transferred from Available Funds	167,927.40
Gross Amount to be Raised	1,934,147.52
Total Estimated Receipts and Available Funds	746,662.72

Net Amount to be Raised on Polls and Property \$ 1,187,484.80

TOWN OF DRACUT

4012 Polls @ \$2.00	\$ 8,024.00
On Personal Property	103,539.24
On Real Estate	1,075,921.56
Total	\$ 1,187,484.80

Valuation for 1961:

Personal Property	\$ 1,232,610.00
Real Estate	12,808,590.00
Total	\$14,041,200.00

Extra Commitments for 1961:

On Polls 23 @ \$2.00	Tax	\$ 46.00
On Real Estate, Value \$13,900	Tax	1,167.60
Total	\$	1,213.60

Poll and Property Abatements in 1961:

Levy of 1959 — 3 Polls @ \$2.00	\$ 6.00
Levy of 1960 — 24 Polls @ \$2.00	48.00
Levy of 1961 — 487 Polls @ \$2.00	974.00
Total	\$ 1,028.00

Personal Property:

Levy of 1960	\$ 44.10
Levy of 1961	8.40
Total	\$ 52.50

Real Estate:

Levy of 1959	\$ 80.00
Levy of 1960	159.60
Levy of 1961	1,722.00
Total	\$ 1,961.60

Veteran's Exemptions:

Levy of 1960	\$ 3,007.20
Levy of 1961	61,215.00
Total	\$ 64,222.20

Total Amount Abated and Exempted on Polls and Property
in 1961 \$ 67,264.30

Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise Committed in 1961:

Levy of 1960:

No. of Cars 1,694
Commissioners Value \$ 1,226,287.00
Excise Tax 45,099.38

Levy of 1961:

No. of Cars 6,742
Commissioners Value \$ 3,743,910.00
Excise Tax 213,311.96

Motor Vehicle Abatements:

Levy of 1959 \$ 1,034.54
Levy of 1960 10,338.81
Levy of 1961 16,090.61

Total \$ 27,463.96

Animals Assessed

As Personal Property

Horses 12
Cows 135
Steers 2
Bulls
Swine 16
Sheep 50

Fowl
Laying Hens

No. Acres of Land

No. of Dwellings Assessed

Under Farm Animal Excise

716

15

100

90

2,146

11,752

3,654

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK K. BRYANT,

JOHN F. CALLAHAN,

ARTHUR W. COLBURN,

Assessors.

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN FOR THE YEAR 1961

To the Trustees of the Moses Greeley Parker Library:

The Moses Greeley Parker Library building will mark its 40th Anniversary this year. The building has withstood the years well and is in good physical condition. Its main inadequacy is lack of space however. The handsome main room of the library does not lend itself to alteration without spoiling the beauty of its lines. By altering the long book shelf which divided the junior section of the library, we have restored the room as it was originally designed. In 1961, many hours were spent rearranging the stacks in order to provide space for moving less-called-for books to the rear room and basement. These stacks in the basement and one section of the upper stacks were painted this year for the first time since the building was erected. We plan to have the public use these rooms and a vertical file has been installed which is used a great deal by students.

In addition, all of the lighting fixtures have been replaced and now that the building is adequately lighted, all tables may be used at night. The expense of this project was covered by our State grant in aid.

Other building improvements include the installation of a steel bulkhead which should last as long as the building. This year there were extensive repairs made to the copper drains along the roof.

In 1961, 1750 books were added to the collection. Of this number more than half were juvenile books purchased from the State grant in aid fund. The circulation in 1961 increased 15,000 over that of 1960, and since Dracut's reading residents are constantly broadening the fields in which they read, we feel that there is further need for replacement and additions to serve the community. It is interesting to note that almost half of the circulation is in the non-fiction field for both junior and adult readers.

In March of 1961, library service at the Parker Avenue and Greenmont Avenue Schools was increased to provide every student with a book each week. We consider this an important improvement since many of the students have no other access to library facilities.

The patronage and circulation of the Collinsville branch has continued to increase. We have sought more adequate quarters for this branch, but so far we have not found a suitable place. Presently the public receives four hours of library service on Wednesday in the Collinsville school from 12:30 to 4:00 during which time from three hundred to four hundred books are circulated.

The librarian wished to express her thanks to the staff in the branch libraries, Mrs. Stuart Hovey, Mrs. Bertrand Buffey and Mrs. Arthur Pilotte, and our assistants at the Centre Library, Constance Cutrumbes and Margaret Callahan for their efforts on behalf of the library. Since our aim is to improve our service and not simply maintain it, we have added a clerk to the Centre staff on Saturday, and hope to add another on Tuesday and Thursday.

Respectfully submitted,

MARGARET C. DOCKETT, (Mrs. Edward F.)
Librarian.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE

To the Voters of Dracut:

The work of the School Building Committee (High School) has been practically completed. Only the matter of roof leaks and adjustment for same remains to be settled and the discharge of this committee and proper acceptance of this beautiful school may be made.

It is anticipated that this work will be shortly completed and all emphasis placed on the work of the new Building Committee.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN BROX, Chairman
WILLIAM H. BROMLEY, Vice-Chairman
PAUL H. PHANEUF, Secretary
DANIEL C. HANSON
ROBERT T. FOX
ALFRED J. DUFOUR
FRANCIS L. LAPPIN
LEONARD S. BELANGER
ALBERT G. DAIGLE, Sr.
WILFRED PERRON
JOHN RAWLY
IRA L. VINAL
RAYMOND BLANCHETTE

ESTIMATES OF MONEY TO BE RAISED FOR THE ENSUING YEAR TO DEFRAY TOWN EXPENSES

	Appropriation 1961	Expended 1961	Estimate Required 1962
1. Moderator	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 100.00
2. Selectmen's Department	6,300.00	6,271.32	6,410.00
3. Treasurer's Department	5,915.00	5,868.69	7,340.00
4. Accounting Department	4,515.00	4,515.00	4,880.00
5. Collector's Department	10,800	10,325.35	11,000.00
6. Assessor's Department	14,285.00	14,163.17	16,093.00
7. Law Department	1,850.00	775.00	1,850.00
8. Election & Registration.....	7,010.00	6,044.44	9,425.00
9. Town Clerk's Department....	3,084.00	2,765.56	3,260.00
10. Planning Board	500.00	380.50	1,000.00
11. Board of Appeals	400.00	230.06	400.00
12. Industrial Commission	500.00	3,475.00	2,000.00
13. Town Hall	4,500.00	3,980.96	5,580.00
14. Police Department	65,600.00	65,581.57	70,000.00
15. Sunday Traffic Police	1,248.00	1,248.00	1,456.00
16. Dog Officer	1,500.00	1,246.00	1,500.00
17. Fire Department	55,900.00	55,814.41	66,500.00
18. Dracut Water Supply District	1,000.00	1,000.00	2,073.00
19. Moth Extermination	4,700.00	4,455.44	5,000.00
20. Tree Warden	6.500	6,444.69	7,000.00
21. Sealer of Weights	600.00	576.18	807.00
22. Contagious Diseases	2,000.00	1,344.30	2,000.00
23. Board of Health	7,598.51	7,598.51	8,950.00
24. Ashes & Waste Dept.	31,500.00	31,462.21	31,500.00
25. Vital Statistics	650.00	620.00	650.00
26. Inspector of Slaughtering...	25.00	—	25.00
27. Inspector of Animals	365.00	365.00	400.00
28. Inspector of Buildings	2,500.00	2,483.94	2,500.00
29. Inspector of Wiring	1,500	1,483.84	1,800.00
30. Highway Maintenance	63,900.00	63,896.46	60,000.00
31. Special Oiling	7,800.00	7,799.89	8,500.00
32. Snow & Sand—Nov. & Dec.	2,337.34	2,337.34	2,000.00
33. Street Lighting	15,237.00	15,237.00	15,600.00

	Appropriation 1961	Expended 1961	Estimate Required 1962
34. Public Assistance—Aid	150,000.00	143,172.88	150,000.00
35. Public Assistance—Adm.	14,300.00	14,300.00	15,150.00
36. Veterans Services	25,000.00	22,609.41	25,000.00
37. Veterans Services—Adm.	2,600.00	2,571.42	2,600.00
38. School Maintenance:			
Expenses & Supplies	151,968.00	151,968.00	195,300.00
Salaries	650,935.00	650,935.00	747,854.00
39. Vocational Schools	8,000.00	5,755.30	8,000.00
40. Library Maintenance	11,120.00	11,120.00	11,581.00
41. Parks & Playgrounds	7,300.00	7,254.94	8,000.00
42. Recreation Commission	3,965	3,965.00	7,000.00
43. Annuities	1,200.00	1,200.00	1,200.00
44. Insurance	21,172.10	21,172.10	27,500.00
45. Printing Town Reports	4,371.20	4,371.20	4,371.20
46. Cemeteries	2,400.00	2,400.00	2,900.00
47. Finance Committee	50.00	46.20	100.00
48. Interest on Loans	64,400.00	56,839.17	75,750.00
49. Principal on Loans	110,000.00	110,000.00	110,000.00
50. Veterans Organizations	1,150.00	1,144.58	1,400.00
51. Foreclosure of Tax Liens and Conveyance of Prop- erty and Sales Committee	2,000.00	1,698.00	2,000.00
52. Contingent Fund	10,000.00	4,925.95	10,000.00
53. Employees' Group Insurance	9,000.00	7,280.55	13,800.00
TOTALS	\$1,583,101.15	\$1,551,129.28	\$1,777,105.20

Transfers from Contingent Fund:

A. Board of Health	\$ 148.51
B. Snow & Sand, Nov.-Dec.	337.34
C. School Expenses & Supplies	2,568.00
D. Insurance	1,172.10

ANNUAL REPORT OF DRACUT PUBLIC SCHOOLS**SCHOOL COMMITTEE**

Charles Neofotistos, Chairman	Term Expires 1962
Joseph Harne, Vice Chairman	Term Expires 1964
John J. Beaulieu	Term Expires 1964
Joseph A. Daigle	Term Expires 1962
George O. Desharnais	Term Expires 1963

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Paul H. Phaneuf	GL 9-9796
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SECRETARY TO THE SUPERINTENDENT

Ellen A. Blackwell	GL 3-5139
Office Hours, School days 8:30 to 4:00	

DIRECTOR OF ELEMENTARY EDUCATION

George H. Englesby	GL 4-0721
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SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

John Cappi, M.D.	GL 3-8561
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SCHOOL NURSE

Eloise Decelle, R.N.	GL 2-5015
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ATTENDANCE OFFICER

George W. Watson	GL 3-1870
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STAFF

ADMINISTRATION

Superintendent:

Paul H. Phaneuf

Holy Cross College B.A.

U. of New Hampshire M.A.

Secretary:

Ellen A. Blackwell

Lowell High School

HIGH SCHOOL

Principal:

Christos Daoulas

Boston University B.A.

Boston University M. Ed.

Vice-Principal:

Pauline Varnum

Framingham State B.S.

Fitchburg State M. Ed.

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Suffolk University A.B.

George Andricopoulos

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Vincent J. Anton, Jr.

Suffolk University B.S.

Suffolk University M.A.

Gertrude Bateman

Sargent College

Grace Beaulieu

Syracuse University B.S.

Gertrude Belanger

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Boston University M. Ed.

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St. Anselm's B.A.

Suffolk University M. Ed.

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Merrimack College B.A.

Laval University M.A.

Roger J. Brunelle

St. John Seminary A.B.

Joseph E. Chiasson

Fitchburg State B.S. Ed.

Anne C. Chiungos

Marywood College B.S.

Clarence E. Craggy

Keene Teachers' B.S.

Boston University M. Ed.

Angelo Dadoly

Boston University B.S.

Albert G. Daigle

Priscilla Daigle

Salem State B.S.

Jane F. Dockett

Emmanuel College B.A.

Joyce F. Donian

Emmanuel College B.A.

Thomas F. Duffy, Jr.

Boston University B.S.

Salem State College

Boston University M. Ed.

Joseph C. L. Durand

Emerson College B.S.

Lowell Tech. Institute

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Boston University M. Ed.

Christobal E. Edlund

Lowell State B.S.

Boston University

Joseph Foley

Bridgewater State B.S.

Bridgewater M. Ed.

Peter Foley

U. of Massachusetts B.B.A.

Joseph C. A. Gagnon

Merrimack College B.S.

Boston State M. Ed.

Martin P. Garry

Providence College B.A.

Boston University M. Ed.

Mary E. Garry

Lowell State B.S.E.

Boston University M. Ed.

Katherine M. Green

Trinity College A.B.

Mary Hall

Regis College B.A.

Boston University M. Ed.

Joseph F. Halloran

Merrimack College A.B.

Lowell State

John E. Hardacre

Lowell Tech. Inst. B.S.

Lowell State

Elizabeth Heenan

Merrimack College A.B.

Salem State

Marguerite Johnson

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Fitchburg State M. Ed.

John C. Katin

Merrimack College B.A.

Clark University M.A. Ed.

Joseph Kulis

Boston College B.S.

Roger Lacerte	Merrimack College A.B.	Laval University
Janet Lambert	Mass. College of Art B.F.A.	Salem State
John Langland	Holy Cross College B.S.	Boston University M. Ed.
Robert F. MacDonald	Boston University B.S.	Fitchburg State M. Ed.
Susanne E. Maloney	Manhattanville, B.A.	
Alfred Massello	Tufts University B.S. Chem.	Boston State
Madeline D. McLaughlin	Newton College of the Sacred Heart A.B.	
Walter McNally	Boston College B.S.	Fitchburg State M. Ed.
Francis W. Merrill	University of Miami B.B.A.	
Cornelius P. Murphy	Boston College B.S.	
Edmund D. Murphy	Holy Cross College B.S.	Fitchburg State M. Ed.
Francis D. Neilon	St. Anselm's B.A.	Fitchburg State M. Ed.
William F. O'Neill	Boston College B.S.	Fitchburg State M. Ed.
William A. Pagones	Lowell State B.S.	Fitchburg State M. Ed.
Florence Parrino	Queens College A.B.	
Whitman Pearson	U. of Pennsylvania B.S. Econ.	Boston University M.S. in Ed.
Peder Pedersen	Fitchburg State B.S.	
Maurice R. Pepin	New England Cons. B. Music	Boston University M.A.
Eileen Perreault	Niel Training	Northeastern University
Lynne M. Perreault	Rivier College B.A.	
Joseph A. Roark	Boston University B.S.	Boston University M. Ed.
Blanche B. Roussel	Boston University	
Michael C. Shahin	Univ. of Buffalo B.A.	University of Buffalo M. Ed.
Helen Spaneas	Boston University A.B.	
Peter S. Stamas	Harvard University A.B.	
Ann Stewart	Lowell Tech. Inst. B.S.	Boston State M. Ed.
Paul Tatsios	Boston University B.A.	
Michael J. Taylor	Univ. of California B.A.	
Sandra Zammiti	Boston College B.S. in Nurs.	Boston College M. Ed.
Librarian:		
Katherine Prior	U. of Massachusetts B.S.	Boston University
Secretaries:		
Barbara Hibbard	Dracut High School	Bradshaw Business
Vera K. Rawlyniewicz	Palmer High School	Bay Path Institute

GREENMONT AVENUE

Principal:

George H. Englesby	Boston University B.S.	Boston University M. Ed.
Margaret Flaherty	6 St. Joseph's B.A.	Boston University
Elizabeth Markham	6 Lowell State	
Catherine Metivier	6 Plymouth Teachers' B.S.	
Pearl O'Meara	6 Fitchburg State	Boston University
Alice Pyne	6 Lowell State	
John Pendergast	6 Lowell State B.S.	
Ethel Goulakos	5 Lowell State B.S.	
Hanna Couture	5 Lowell State B.S.	

Alice Delmore	5	Lowell State	
Mary Economou	5	Boston University B.A.	
Gertrude McCabe	5	Lowell State B.S.	
Irene Mitchell	3	Lowell State B.S.	Fitchburg State M. Ed.
Constance Desjardins	3	Lowell State B.S.	Boston University
Mary Manning	3	Lowell State B.S.	Boston University M. Ed.
Elizabeth Bryant	K	Lesley College	
Mildred Lunn	K	Lowell State	
Margaret Breen	S	Boston University B.B.A.	Fitchburg State M. Ed.

PARKER AVENUE

Irene E. DeLorme,	Pr. 4	Lowell State	
Mary Johnson	4	Lesley College	
Alice Chadwick	4	Lowell State B.S.	
Marjorie Dadoly	4	Lowell State B.S.	
Gertrude Dowd	4	Lowell State B.S.	
French:			
Virginia Gauthier		Lowell State B.S.	Fitchburg State M. Ed.
H. Marion Hayes	4	Lowell State B.S.	
Marilyn Cox	3	Lowell State B.S.	
Louise Donohoe	3	Lowell State	
Lillian Callahan	3	Lowell State B.S.	
Stacia Pilat	3	Rider College B.S.	

COLLINSVILLE

Vera Hiland	Pr. 1	Lowell State	Boston University
Janet Mulligan	1	Lowell State B.S.	
Judith Dunn	1	Lowell State B.S.	
Beulah Paine	1	Lowell State	
Mary Corkery	2	Lowell State B.S.	Boston University
Elizabeth Nerney	2	Lowell State B.S.	Fitchburg State
Marie Panageotopopous	2	Lowell State B.S.	
Mary Peterson	2	Lowell State B.S.	

KENWOOD

Pauline Reilly,	Pr. 3	Lowell State B.S.	
Madeline Dinneen	2	Plymouth N. H. Teachers'	Boston University
Edith Callahan	1	Lowell State	
Martha Salesky	K	Lesley College B.S.	

DRACUT CENTER

Alice Garside	Pr. 1	Lowell State	
Mary Kiernan	1	Lowell State	
Dorothy Sullivan	2	Lowell State B.S.	
Evangeline Sullivan	2	Lowell State B.S.	

GOODHUE

Mary Neofotistos	Pr. 2	Lowell State B.S.	
Elizabeth Fox	1	Boston University B.S.	

Esther Garland	1	Lowell State B.S.	Fitchburg State M. Ed.
Mary Droney	2	St. Joseph's	Boston University
Art:			
Ella Coburn		Mass. School of Art	Boston University
Music:			
Francis Hickey		Lowell State B.S.	

DIRECTOR OF MAINTENANCE

Paul Merrill	GL 3-0293
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CUSTODIANS

High School	Leo Frechette	GL 3-8984
	Nestor Paquette	GL 8-0982
	Albert Sims	GL 3-7895
	Charles Stone	GL 2-7557
	John Taylor	GL 3-8248
	Raymond Turcotte	GL 2-4-43
Greenmount	Lionel Maille	GL 3-4817
	Marcel Vermette	GL 3-3562
Collinsville	George Economakos	GL 2-7868
Parker Avenue	Edmond Gamache	GL 3-8946
Kenwood	Thomas Ouellette	
Goodhue	Arthur Willett	GL 3-4989
Dracut Center	Hector LeBlanc	

CAFETERIA MANAGER

Photine Skandalis	GL 2-6090
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CAFETERIA EMPLOYEES

High School	Margaret Eldridge	GL 2-9111
	Blanche Ferron	GL 2-4360
	Fleurette Gaudette	GL 2-6604
	Lillian Hickey	GL 2-1756
	Eleanor Huse	GL 2-7971
	Rosemary Makos	GL 2-2003
	June Paquette	GL 2-7121
Greenmont Avenue	Inez Clegg	GL 3-2941
	Janina C. Boumil	GL 2-3780
	Helen Patenaude	GL 2-5590
	Lucille Machado	GL 2-1009

BUS CONTRACTORS

#1-5-13	Walter Wagner	GL 2-9449
#2	Albert Machado	GL 4-4212
#3	Joseph Deslisle	GL 3-1891
#4-9-11	Constantine Cutrumbes	GL 2-4815
#6	Raymond E. Levesque	GL 2-7793
#7	Fred Vinal	GL 2-0137
#8	Albert J. Gagnon	GL 2-4548
#10-12	Harold Peabody	GL 8-6021

FINANCIAL REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

I. EXPENSES AND SUPPLIES	1961 Expenditures	1962 Estimate
1. Fuel	\$ 18,469	\$ 20,000
2. Textbooks	13,066	14,000
3. Library	2,490	2,500
4. Transportation	78,893	93,745
5. New Equipment	7,110	7,000
6. Operational	9,345	8,200
7. Electricity	11,280	10,300
8. Gas	614	600
9. Water	569	600
10. Telephones	1,324	1,420
11. Repairs, replacements, upkeep	44,078	15,000
12. Grounds—Athletic Field	5,415	6,000
13. Health	444	435
14. Instructional	15,567	14,500
15. Administrative	1,077	1,000
	\$209,741	\$195,300
II. SALARIES		
16. Janitors	\$ 55,036	\$ 57,600
17. Athletics	3,843	3,610
18. Cafeteria Manager	3,240	3,420
19. Instruction	565,495	650,820
20. Librarian	4,532	5,137
21. Health	6,316	6,767
22. Administration	9,635	10,900
23. Attendance	380	500
24. Secretaries	7,996	9,100
	\$656,473	\$747,854
TOTAL	\$866,214	\$943,154
From Town Meeting Appropriation	800,335	
PL 874 Federal Funds Used	60,251	Balance 7,714
National Defense Educational Act	3,060	
Parker Avenue School Insurance Fund	2,568	
	\$866,214	

REIMBURSEMENTS

	1961	Estimate 1962
Com. of Mass. Chapter 70-School Aid	153,772	161,435
Com. of Mass. Chapter 76-State Wards	5,665	5,700
Com. of Mass. Chapter 71-Transportation..	54,189	70,000
Tuitions	6,535	4,300
National Defense Act	1,331	2,000
Miscellaneous	191	225
Federal Reimbursements (PL 874)	27,366	27,500
	<u>\$249,049</u>	<u>\$271,160</u>

Charles Neofotistos, Chairman

Joseph Harne, Vice Chairman

George O. Desharnais

John J. Beaulieu

Joseph E. Daigle

DRACUT SCHOOL ENROLLMENT 1961-1962

Kinder- garten	Ken- wood	Dracut Center	Collins- ville	Good- hue	Parker Avenue	Greenmont Avenue	High School	Total Public	Total Private	Lowell Trade	Lowell Vocational	GRAND TOTAL
						83-79		162	16			178
1st	50	57	123	51	—	—	—	281	135	—	—	416
2nd	34	62	121	40	—	—	—	257	119	—	—	376
3rd	39	—	—	—	150	63	—	252	106	—	—	358
4th	—	—	—	—	218	—	—	218	112	—	—	330
5th	—	—	—	—	—	220	—	220	137	—	—	357
6th	—	—	—	—	—	190	—	190	113	—	—	303
Special ..	—	—	—	—	—	11	—	11	—	—	—	11
7th	—	—	—	—	—	—	231	231	98	—	—	329
8th	—	—	—	—	—	—	215	215	91	—	—	306
9th	—	—	—	—	—	—	285	285	31	3	—	319
10th	—	—	—	—	—	—	223	223	23	4	—	250
11th	—	—	—	—	—	—	183	183	16	1	—	200
12th	—	—	—	—	—	—	133	133	18	4	2	157
P.G.	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	1
Total	123	119	244	91	368	646	1271	2862	1015	12	2	3891

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

This is my thirteenth and last report to you as Superintendent of the Dracut Public Schools. I would like to begin it by expressing my appreciation to those people in the town from all walks of life who have supported public education not only through their tax monies, but through their co-operative spirit.

To be concerned with forming the minds of children is to be part of the greatest task before mankind. Education separates us from the savage state. Our public schools must educate all—regardless of their financial, social or intellectual status. It is my hope that you will give to the new Superintendent of Schools the aid he will need in keeping high the standards of the Dracut Public Schools.

SCHOOL HOUSING

It is difficult to see how half day sessions can be avoided for that period during which the new Junior High School will be built. When this new school is completed, or even before, attention should be given to the need for an elementary school in Collinsville. It must not be forgotten, either, that four of our school buildings, (Kenwood, Dracut Center, Goodhue and Collinsville) are antiquated structures that should be replaced by modern schools.

If our children were in need of expensive medical care to offset a dread disease, I don't think we would count the cost of making them well. State aid in the construction of school buildings eases the burden of building schools for the cities and towns. But in the long run we must recognize that public education—upon which a meaningful later life for our children is predicated—is not “free” in the sense that no-one pays for it. We all have a share in it, and it is one of the glories of our democracy.

FACULTY

A school plant is made of steel and mortar. A faculty is made of flesh and blood. It is easy to build a schoolhouse, for the job requires only money and craftsmen. It is not easy to build an excellent staff of teachers. Though school buildings are important, they are mausoleums without good teachers.

If in Town A a doctor is paid with cabbages and in Town B he is paid with dollars, it would not be wondrous for Town B to have more and better doctors. There has been in recent years a steady attrition in our staff of experienced teachers who have been attracted elsewhere by better salary schedules and a degree of community respect which often accompanies better pay scales.

I report this while recognizing that many teachers remain with us—mostly those who teach to supplement the family income. Several experienced teachers retire each year. Who will replace them?

Unless the Town of Dracut recognizes teachers as the valuable people they are, this outward flow will continue. Dracut will become a training ground for neophyte teachers who leave the town when their abilities can earn them and their families more bread.

INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAM

As Superintendent of Schools much of my responsibility has been toward strengthening and improving the program of studies from Grade I to Grade XII. The body of knowledge required to enter college becomes greater each year. We must establish early in our children's school careers the habits of mind which make them receptive and retentive of knowledge.

During my years here I have seen established a scholarship program which I hope the friends of our public schools will carry on and expand.

Automation and other technology in industry make it imperative for our boys and girls who work immediately upon graduation to develop as many skills as possible while they are in school. It is only reasonable to suppose that as machines take over more of the jobs of people, those who are retained as employees must be the most valuable, dependable and highly skilled ones. We do not want any of our boys and girls to be numbered among the technologically unemployed—lacking in skill or will to work

Is our job a joyless one—so grave that we are tempted to despair? Not at all. As John Sloan Dickey, President of Dartmouth College, said recently: “. . . the MEANINGFUL enjoyment of life is the basic aim of a liberal education. . .”

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL H. PHANEUF

DRACUT HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT

1961 Financial Report

	Receipts	Expenditures
Unexpended Balance, January 1, 1961	\$ 205.33	—
Town Meeting Appropriation	5,000.00	—
Football	3,293.68	\$4,780.50
Basketball	571.85	1,434.40
Baseball	24.00	998.93
Track	—	212.75
Cross Country	—	106.25
Balance, January 1, 1962	—	1,562.03
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	\$9,094.86	\$9,094.86

VINCENT J. ANTON, JR.,

Athletic Manager

THE HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

The conspicuous increase of enrollment has had significant effect in multiple areas of our secondary school program. The physical limitations of the cafeteria has presented the administration with many problems in scheduling. The maintenance of effective pupil-teacher ratios has been difficult in all departments. A tribute of commendation must be given to the faculty, the custodial and cafeteria personnel, and the wonderful student body for their co-operative endeavors in achieving high quality standards despite the conditions noted above.

We have been working constantly with the problem of resolving satisfactorily the recommendations made by the Evaluating Committee of the New England Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools in order that we may ultimately meet the association's minimum qualifications in regard to professional staff, program of studies, and physical facilities. Many of these specific recommendations made in November, 1959, have been carried out already, and others are in the administrative process of being carried out. It is especially gratifying to bring to your attention the following changes in accordance with the recommendations of the Evaluating Committee:

1. Additional clerical assistance now prevails in the Guidance Department and this availability has meant an increased efficiency in the tabulation and processing of vital data in this area.
2. An increased departmentalization of teachers working within specific areas has been effected.
3. The placement of Chairmen within departments of study has made it possible for us to formulate our program of studies with greater effectiveness and also to provide welcome guidance and orientation for the new teachers on the professional staff. The Chairmen can also cope with the complex problems involved in providing a stable and sequential integration of subject matter at all grade levels of instruction.

It would be appropriate in this report to call to your attention the national spirit of investigative research that characterizes all areas of learning and the increasing national emphasis upon high standards of academic excellence in scholastic endeavors. It should be emphasized here that excellence in educational standards is not a principle to be confined and promulgated only among the academically gifted; indeed, it is the obligation of the instructional and administrative staff to structure classroom presentations that are conducive to eliciting maximum learning and achievement for every boy and girl within the context of the comprehensive high school.

We have been particularly happy to observe the increased utilization of Guidance Department facilities by both pupils and parents as an accepted and revealing part of the total educational process. We are always desirous of increasing our means of communication with the public in regard to

what the schools are doing and the objectives they hope to achieve. Parents inquire constantly about how they can help the school in overcoming scholastic deficiencies. In this regard we would like to remind the parent that significant help can be rendered by seeing that:

1. The pupil is taking full advantage of the Late Help Night made available by each teacher on the high school staff. This can prove invaluable for the pupil encountering difficulty in achieving up to his level of potential.

2. The pupil must accept complete responsibility for the make up of class assignments and examinations that have been missed during absences within a reasonable length of time.

3. The pupil must maintain a disciplined and adequate allotment of time for study and not allow an overwhelming burden of social obligations to detract from the required school work.

Finally, every parent can help by fostering an atmosphere of learning within the home so that a pupil loves to experience the drama, the excitement, and the challenge of exploring new and vital areas of learning.

Parents are advised to utilize the resources of the high school Guidance Department when they desire a complete and discriminating analysis of a pupil's academic status and progress. The Guidance Department counselors are in a position to:

1. Utilize appropriate data available in the pupil's psychometric profile.

2. Consult with instructors regarding the nature of a pupil's weakness in responding to learning experiences.

3. Confer with the pupil personally relative to his motivation and method of approach to learning experiences.

Answers to the pertinent questions asked by parents can and should be direct and positive; not evasive and superficial.

We are very pleased that the availability of a qualified shop instructor has made it possible to offer two classes in mechanical drawing. We have been particularly aware of the need for providing more exploratory experiences in areas of specialized technical training. We are confronted, however, with limitations in the development of such programs due to the restricted physical facilities available to us at the present time.

May I state that it has been a source of great pleasure and satisfaction to serve the wonderful pupils of the high school and their parents, the citizens of our community, and the faculty as principal of the high school. I am deeply indebted to all for their most gracious assistance and encouragement.

Cordially submitted by

CHRISTOS DAOULAS

Principal

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL NURSE

Physical Examinations:

Pupils in grades one, four, eight and eleven including football, basketball and baseball players were examined by the school doctor. The following physical defects needing attention were found and the parents were notified.

Dental caries, 208. Curvature of the spine, 4. Heart murmur, 7. Diseased tonsils, 139. Flat feet, 17. Overweight, 14.

Puretone Audiometer Test:

Children given hearing test, 1401. Failed re-test and referred to the otologist, 23. A hearing aid was procured for one child.

Massachusetts Vision Test:

Children tested, 1809. Failed retest and referred to eye specialist, 123. Glasses obtained for underprivileged children, 4.

Pupils Referred to and Attending Clinics:

Heart Clinic, 3. Rheumatic Fever Clinic, 2. State Crippled Children's Clinic, 9.

Health Education:

One hundred and thirty-nine grade eight students completed the Junior First Aid Course and received certificates.

Fifty-eight grade nine girls completed the Red Cross Home Nursing Course. Short health talks were presented to the first and second grades.

Other Health Services:

Visits to schools, 472. First aid treatments (elementary schools), 118. High school students reporting to the health room because of illness or injuries, 2133. Home visits, 61. Children excluded from school temporarily for pediculosis, impetigo, conjunctivitis or ringworm, 14.

Pupils in grades one through six were weighed and measured. All health findings were recorded on the children's health records.

The State Department of Health Nursing Supervisor and Educator visited the schools twice during the year.

The increased enrollment presents many problems. It is more difficult each year to carry out a well planned health program and give all the schools good nursing coverage at all times. I certainly appreciate and thank the teachers and parents for the wonderful cooperation that I received from them during the year.

ELOISE DECELLE, R.N.

BALANCE SHEET — DECEMBER 31, 1961

DRACUT LUNCH PROGRAM

ASSETS:

Cash	\$ 11,388.83
Reimbursement Checks Due	2,206.66
Cash Value of Inventory (excl. USDA comm.)	1,106.66
Total Assets	\$14,702.15

LIABILITIES:

Food Invoices Payable	\$ 3,960.01
Other Invoices Payable	317.63
Total Liabilities	\$ 4,277.64

DRACUT LUNCH PROGRAM, CAPITAL	10,424.51
Total Liabilities and Capital	\$14,702.15

STATEMENTS OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1961

Actual cash receipts and payments of year:

Opening Cash Balance	\$ 6,413.97
Add cash income from:	
Lunchroom sales to children	54,523.84
USDA claims received	25,556.79
Lunchroom sales to adults	2,056.06
All other cash income	7,891.66
Total cash available for year	\$96,442.32

Less cash payments for:

Food	\$ 62,480.45
Labor	16,768.28
Equipment	1,957.25
Other	3,847.51
Total cash payments for year	\$85,053.49
Closing Cash Balance	\$11,388.83

WARRANT
for the
TOWN ELECTION and TOWN MEETING

MIDDLESEX, S.S.

To Hector H. Berube, Constable of the Town of Dracut.

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify the inhabitants of the Town of Dracut, qualified to vote in Elections, to meet at the Polling Booths, located in the several Precincts within the Town as follows: Precinct 1, at St. Mary's Hall, Collinsville; Precinct 2, at the Navy Yard Fire Station; Precinct 3, at the Grange Hall Dracut Centre; Precinct 4, at the Kenwood Fire Station, on Monday the 5th day of March 1962, then and there to bring in their votes to the Election Officers for the following Town Offices under Article One of the Warrant.

ARTICLE 1.

To bring in their votes for a Moderator for a term of one year. One Selectman and Member of the Board of Health and Board of Public Welfare for a term of three years. One Town Clerk for a term of three years. One Treasurer for a term of three years. One Constable and Collector of Taxes for a term of three years. One Assessor of Taxes for a term of three years. One Highway Surveyor for a term of three years. Two Members of the School Committee for a term of three years. One Trustee of Public Library for a term of three years. One Tree Warden for a term of three years. One Cemetery Commissioner for a term of three years. Two Members of the Planning Board for a term of five years.

Also to vote YES or NO on the following Questions:

QUESTION #1.

"Shall an act passed by the General Court in the year nineteen hundred and sixty-two, entitled 'An Act providing life tenure for Powell A. Fraser, Alfred F. Handley, Raoul J. Lefebvre and Alfred J. Araskiewicz, incumbents of the position of patrolman of the police department of the town of Dracut', be accepted?"

QUESTION #2.

"Shall an act passed by the General Court in the year nineteen hundred and sixty-two, entitled 'An Act providing life tenure for certain employees of the highway department of the town of Dracut', be accepted?"

QUESTION #3.

“Shall an act passed by the General Court in the year nineteen hundred and sixty-two, entitled, ‘An Act providing life tenure for the incumbent of the office of supervisor of custodians and the incumbents of the office of custodians of the public schools of the town of Dracut’, be accepted?”

QUESTION #4.

“Shall an act passed by the General Court in the year nineteen hundred and sixty-two, entitled ‘An Act providing life tenure for Donat T. Daigle, incumbent of the office of building inspector of the town of Dracut and for Daniel C. Hanson, incumbent of the office of town accountant of said town’, be accepted?”

All on one ballot.

The polls will open at ten o'clock A.M., and will close at eight o'clock P.M.

And you are further directed to notify the inhabitants of the town of Dracut qualified to vote in Elections and in Town affairs to meet at the Lester G. Richardson Auditorium, Dracut High School, Lakeview Avenue on Saturday the Tenth day of March, 1962, at 9:30 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

No Finance Committee recommendation necessary.

ARTICLE 2.

To choose all other Town Officers not enumerated in Article One.

No Finance Committee recommendation necessary.

ARTICLE 3.

To hear the report of the Town Accountant and Selectmen and act thereon.

No Finance Committee recommendation necessary.

ARTICLE 4.

To see if the Town will vote to fix the salaries and compensations of all elective officers of the Town as provided by Section 108, Chapter 41, General Laws, as amended to be effective January 1, 1962 and to raise and appropriate such sums of money under the various departments:

Moderator: \$30.00 for a one day annual Town Meeting,
and \$10.00, for all subsequent meetings;
Selectmen: \$570.00 each per year;
Board of Public Welfare: \$300.00 each per year;
Town Clerk: \$1,300.00 per year;
Town Treasurer: \$4,680.00 per year;
Constable and Collector of Taxes: \$4,200.00 per year;
Assessors of Taxes: \$4,576.00 each per year;
Highway Surveyor: \$5,500 per year;
Tree Warden: \$1.91 per hour.

Finance Committee recommends that the Town raise and appropriate the following sums for salaries and wages for elected officers:

Moderator: \$30.00 for a one day Annual Town Meeting,
and \$10.00 for all subsequent meetings;
Selectmen: \$566.50 each per year;
Board of Public Welfare: \$300.00 each per year;
Town Clerk: \$1,300.00 per year;
Town Treasurer: \$4,315.00 per year;
Constable and Collector of Taxes: \$4,200.00 per year;
Assessors of Taxes: \$4,215.00 each per year;
Tree Warden: \$1.91 per hour.

ARTICLE 5.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand (\$2,000.00) Dollars to pay various Board of Health hospitalization bills, incurred in 1961, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommendations pending.

ARTICLE 6.

To see if the Town will vote to erect and maintain street lights on any or all of the following locations, or act in any other way relative thereto:

Pole #2, on Barton Avenue;
Pole #374/6, on Fanning Avenue;
Poles #275/15, #275/13, on B Street;
Pole #270/9 or 10, on Francis Street;
Poles #396/1, #396/3, on Camilla Avenue;
Pole #265/2, Corner of Grove and A Streets;
Pole #106 or #107, on Ruth Avenue;
Pole #9/90, on Nashua Road;
Pole #7, on Hillcrest Road;
Poles #6, #7, on Sladen Street;
Pole #127/3, on Hope Avenue;

Poles #39, #43, on Donahue Road;
 Poles #35/3, #35/4, #35/5, on Gilmore Street;
 Pole #3, on Bolton Avenue;
 Pole #125/16, on Homefield Avenue;
 Poles #2, #4, on Sparks Street;
 Pole #222, on Seventh Avenue, Corner of Sparks Street;
 Pole #76, on Bridge Street;
 Pole #401, on Barbara Lane;
 Pole #21, on Marsh Hill Road;
 Pole #92½, on Bridge Street;
 Pole #1, on Pillsbury Avenue;
 Pole #75/13, on Fox Avenue;
 Pole #71, on Green Street;
 Poles #12, #10, on Mailloux Terrace;
 Poles #160, #159, #157, #D187451, on Broadway Road;
 Poles #112, #115, on Broadway Road;
 Pole #8, on Wheeler Road;
 Poles #S52-SPC-35-4, #SP-48-35-4, on Superior Avenue;
 Poles #18/70, #63, on Wheeler Road;
 Poles #47, #44, #42, #38, #35, #31, #22, #18, #14,
 #12, #8, #5, #29, on Jones Avenue;
 Pole #6, on Nassau Street;
 Poles #1, #5, #9, #13, #17, #21, on Brigham Avenue;
 Pole #6, on Mildred Street;
 Pole #28, on Peter's Pond Drive Extension;
 Poles #4/116, #4/119, #4/122, on Lakeview Avenue
 (7000 Lumen);
 Pole #44, on Hampson Street (7000 Lumen);
 Poles #10/45, #47, on Nashua Road (7000 Lumen);
 New Poles — Two at entrance and exit at New High School
 and Lakeview Avenue;
 Pole #13/95, Town Hall Parking Area;
 Pole #35/1, Corner Hamblett and Dinley Streets.

Finance Committee endorses the recommendations of the Street Lighting Committee.

ARTICLE 7.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Town Charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations for same, or act in any other way relative thereto.

See Budget Estimates, on pages 4, 5 and 6, for Finance Committee recommendations.

ARTICLE 8.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available free cash in the treasury the sum of \$100,000.00 for the purpose of the stabilization fund all in accordance with the provisions of Section 5B of Chapter 40 of the General Laws as amended, or act in any other way relative thereto.

**Finance Committee recommends approval of the article.
(See format paragraph #5).**

ARTICLE 9.

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1962, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

In order that the Town and its various departments may operate until such time as tax revenues are received, this article is necessary.

Finance Committee recommends approval.

ARTICLE 10.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars to be added to the established and authorized revolving fund for the support of athletics at Dracut High School, or act in any other way relative thereto.

This sum, in the past, has been necessary to defray deficits between actual sums received from all athletic events and expenditures for these same events.

Finance Committee recommends approval.

ARTICLE 11.

To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Sections 7A through 7D, of Chapter 58 of the General Laws, as amended, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends that this article be dismissed for the following reasons:—

- 1. Your assessors have \$400.00, at present, in their budget estimate for 1962 for professional services. The average cost of these professional services over the past several years has been less than this \$400.00.**

2. To join with the State Association, it would cost us to start approximately \$546.00. Invariably, once members of these State Controlled Associations, costs always have a tendency to rise with the Towns having little control over the matter.

ARTICLE 12.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 760, Acts of 1960. "An Act Providing State Aid for Free Public Libraries," or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends approval. The State allows those towns which accept the above "Acts" a certain sum of money for Free Public Libraries, which in turn is turned over to the jurisdiction of the Library Trustees, in their Library Account, for disposition.

ARTICLE 13.

To see if the Town will vote to purchase two new cruisers for the Police Department; to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Thousand Three Hundred (\$3,300.00) Dollars for the same and sell or trade the present cruisers, the amount received to be applied toward the purchase of the new cruisers, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends approval. Considering the mileage and extensive use of the town cruisers during a year's period, it is considered wise to trade each year.

ARTICLE 14.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand (\$1,000.00) Dollars for Civil Defense program, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends approval. It is our understanding that, per State and Federal Civil Defense recommendations, a sum of \$2,500.00 should be maintained at all times in the Town's Civilian Defense Fund. The above sum, if voted, will bring the present balance in the account to the minimum balance recommended.

ARTICLE 15.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars, for the purpose of hiring an engineering firm to prepare and design relocation and repair or replacement of road and bridge on Phineas Street, said funds to be expended by the Board of Selectmen and the Highway Surveyor,, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommendations pending.

ARTICLE 16.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand Five Hundred (\$2,500.00) Dollars to be used for town planning purposes with Federal Aid, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommendations pending.

ARTICLE 17.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety Five (\$1,995.00) Dollars for the purchase of a Volumetric Prover for the Sealer of Weights and Measures Department, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends that this article be approved. The department operates under State regulations. The State has this year required that the department be able to check pumps to 100 gallons. This article is to provide this department with the facilities to comply with this State requirement.

ARTICLE 18.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer the sum of One Thousand Nine Hundred (\$1,900.00) Dollars for the purchase of lawn mowers for the Park Department, and that a committee consisting of the Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, the Chairman of the Finance Board, and the Park Superintendent be appointed to purchase same, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends that this article be dismissed. In past years, this department has always purchased lawn mowers, even to the extent requested above, out of their annual appropriation. We have elected to recommend an increase in their department annual budget of \$700.00 (total of \$8,000.00), and we therefore feel that sufficient money is available to provide for this expenditure in their budget for 1962.

ARTICLE 19.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer the sum of Two Thousand Five Hundred (\$2,500.00) Dollars for mosquito spray, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends that \$1,000.00 be raised and appropriated for mosquito spraying in 1962. Also, that these funds be controlled and under the jurisdiction of the Moth Department.

ARTICLE 20.

To see if the Town will vote to purchase a new 1½ ton truck for the Tree Department, to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Thousand and Eight Hundred (\$3,800.00) Dollars for the same and sell or trade the 1949 present truck, the amount received to be applied toward the purchase of the new truck and that a committee consisting of the Chairman of The Board of Selectmen, the Chairman of the Finance Committee, and the Tree Warden administer this article, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends approval. The present truck, because of its age and use, has been very costly to keep in good repair and it is time for it to be replaced.

ARTICLE 21.

To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of the Small Town Acts known as Chapter 81, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Where the State and County participate financially in the burden of maintaining town roads, Finance Committee recommends approval of this article.

ARTICLE 22.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Five Hundred (\$1,500.00) Dollars for the improvement of Highways under the provisions of Chapter 90, Maintenance; said sum to be used in conjunction with any other money which may be allotted by the State or County or both, for this purpose; and instruct the Selectmen to petition the Department of Public Works and the Middlesex County Commissioners for an allotment, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Since the State and County will match these funds under the provisions of this Chapter, the Finance Committee recommends approval of this article.

ARTICLE 23.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Ten Thousand Seven Hundred and Fifty (\$10,750.00) Dollars for the completion of Mammoth Road, and the balance to be used on Hildreth Street; said sum to be used in conjunction with any other money which may be allotted by the State or County or both, for this purpose; and instruct the Selectmen to petition the Department of Public Works and the Middlesex County Commissioners for an allotment or act in any other way relative thereto.

Since this amount only represents one-fourth of the total proposed expenditure on these two roads, with the County paying a like amount and the State a full one-half of the costs, the Finance Committee recommends approval.

ARTICLE 24.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand Seven Hundred (\$2,700.00) Dollars for the purchase of a sand spreader, said spreader to be mounted on the 1954 GMC Chassis, now owned by the Highway Department, or act in any other way relative thereto.

The Town has but one of these spreaders, mounted and ready to go when winter conditions necessitate its use. Considering the size of the Town, one spreader is inefficient. Finance Committee recommends approval.

ARTICLE 25.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seven Thousand Two Hundred (\$7,200.00) Dollars to purchase a new four ton dump truck to replace 1954 GMC truck, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Under an established depreciation program, one truck on Highway generally is replaced every six years. Last year, since Highway Department suggested the purchase of a Snow Fighter, the replacement of a regularly used truck was postponed. Finance Committee recommends approval of this article.

ARTICLE 26.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand (\$2,000.00) Dollars to paint Street and Traffic Lines, or act in any other way relative thereto.

This expenditure is a yearly occurrence and is necessary. Finance Committee therefore recommends approval of this article.

ARTICLE 27.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from unappropriated funds in the treasury a sum of money for Chapter 90 Highway, and Chapter 81, or act in any other way relative thereto.

The Town, in order to obtain full value of Chapters 90 and 81, has to provide the necessary funds to the Highway Department for repairs of streets covered by these Chapters. The State and County shares are subsequently reimbursed to the town. Finance Committee recommends approval.

ARTICLE 28.

To see if the Town will vote to accept Bayard Street as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, said street to be called Bayard Street, and raise and appropriate the sum of Seven Hundred (\$700.00) Dollars for the repair of same, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends approval of this article for the following reasons:

- 1. The proposed section of this street to be repaired is an old street. With one residential home on this street, it appears that this road is traveled and is in need of repair.**
- 2. Submitted and recommended by the Highway Surveyor.**

ARTICLE 29.

To see if the Town will vote to accept Cook Street as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, said street to be called Cook Street and raise and appropriate the sum of Six Hundred (\$600.00) Dollars for the repair of same, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends that this article be dismissed, in that—

At present, this street has been previously accepted and developed for some 300 feet. This accepted portion is in good repair and serves several residential homes. However, the proposed article above calls for developing 300 additional feet—this addition would run into an open field where from all outward appearances there are no residential homes and would serve very little purpose.

ARTICLE 30.

To see if the Town will vote to accept "C" Street as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, said street to be called "C" Street and raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand Four Hundred and Fifty (\$2,450.00) Dollars for the repair of same, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends that this article be dismissed, in that—

- 1. Portion of "C" Street, which is presently serving the present habitants and taxpayers, is in good condition.**
- 2. The section being proposed, as reviewed by members of the Finance Committee and the Chairman of the Planning Board, either leads into an open field which was covered by snow and it was therefore impossible**

to determine whether proper grades were established. Or, from the paved section of "C" Street which takes a turn through a path to "D" Street—this section has no residential homes on it and is not graded.

ARTICLE 31.

To see if the Town will vote to accept "A" Street as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, said street to be called "A" Street, and raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand Six Hundred and Seventy-Five (\$2,675.00) Dollars for the repair of same, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends that this article be dismissed, in that—

From Passaconaway Drive, "A" Street was covered with snow and though it could not be determined that this street was graded, it was obvious that not one residential house existed.

ARTICLE 32.

To see if the Town will vote to accept Midwood Road as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, said street to be called Midwood Road and raise and appropriate the sum of Three Thousand (\$3,000.00) Dollars for the repair of same, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends that this article be dismissed, in that—

- 1. This road has been partly accepted and developed. This accepted portion serves one residential home. However, the section to be developed as proposed in article above leads from the accepted portion into an open field through brush.**
- 2. No residential homes appear within the immediate area of this proposed extension.**

ARTICLE 33.

To see if the Town will vote to accept Woodbine Path as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, said street to be called Woodbine Path and raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Three Hundred (\$1,300.00) Dollars for the repair of same, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends that this article be approved, in that—

The extension of this street, as proposed, is in definite need of repair; however, it must be said that the extension through to Linden Street would serve to open a through

street only, in that those residing on the extension (who also appear to have been longtime taxpayers) considering the grade of this hill to Linden Street, would undoubtedly use Walnut Street.

ARTICLE 34.

To see if the Town will vote to accept Lillian Terrace as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, said street to be called Lillian Terrace, and raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Five Hundred (\$1,500.00) Dollars for the repair of same, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends that this article be approved, in that—

This street does serve two residences and this street from outward appearances is a new street. It also appears to be properly bounded and graded.

ARTICLE 35.

To see if the Town will vote to accept Leo Avenue, as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, said street to be called Leo Avenue, and raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Eight Hundred (\$1,800.00) Dollars for the repair of same, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends that this article be dismissed, in that—

Though part of this street has been accepted and is properly developed, the section submitted for acceptance is a continuance of this street and is a new street. Due to the following, the petition does not comply with legal requirements:—

- (A) The petition was not submitted per Section #1 of the street acceptance by-laws.**
- (B) It does not conform with part B or F of Section #5 of the same laws.**

ARTICLE 36.

To see if the Town will vote to accept Barbara Lane as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, said street to be called Barbara Lane, and raise and appropriate the sum of Six Hundred Fifty (\$650.00) Dollars for the repair of same, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends that this article be dismissed, in that—

As petitioned, it does not comply with:—

- 1. Section #1 of the Town's Street Acceptance By-Laws**

2. **Section #5 part (B) of the Town's Street Acceptance By-Laws**
3. **Section #5 part (D) of the Town's Street Acceptance By-Laws**
4. **Section #5 part (F) of the Town's Street Acceptance By-Laws**
5. **Section #5 part (G) of the Town's Street Acceptance By-Laws**

ARTICLE 37.

To see if the Town will vote to accept Lannon Avenue as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, said street to be called Lannon Avenue, and raise and appropriate the sum of Three Hundred (\$300.00) Dollars for the repair of same, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends that this article be dismissed, in that—

1. **Though this is not from appearance a new street, this street is in reasonably good repair. Such work as is necessary on this street, it is recommended be handled out of the Special Oil & Patch account.**
2. **Repairs, as requested, not recommended by the Town's Highway Surveyor.**

ARTICLE 38.

To see if the Town will vote to accept Fanning Avenue, as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, said street to be called Fanning Avenue, and raise and appropriate the sum of Seven Hundred (\$700.00) Dollars for the repair of same, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends that this article be approved, in that—

Petition submitted in accordance with Section #1 of the Town's Street Acceptance By-Laws. However Planning Board has not had the opportunity to review this street to see that all other Street Acceptance By-Laws have been complied with.

ARTICLE 39.

To see if the Town will vote to accept Hunting Avenue as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, said street to be called Hunting Avenue, and raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars for the repair of same, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends that this article be approved, in that—

Petition submitted in accordance with Section #1 of the Town's Street Acceptance By-Laws. However your Planning Board has not had the opportunity to review this street to see that all other Street Acceptance By-Laws have been complied with.

ARTICLE 40.

To see if the Town will vote to accept Forest Park Road as laid out by the Board of Selectmen, said street to be called Forest Park Road, and raise and appropriate the sum of Eight Thousand Five Hundred (\$8,500.00) Dollars for the repair of same, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends the sum of \$4,000.00 be raised and appropriated for the repair of the 1st section of the approved subdivision of this proposed development.

ARTICLE 41.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Three Hundred (\$1,300.00) Dollars to install a storm drain on Vermont Avenue, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends approval. It must be said, however, our recommendations are based solely on the Highway Surveyor's report. Members of the Finance Committee, on a personal visit to the area, could not determine where this storm drain would be necessary or located.

ARTICLE 42.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand (\$2,000.00) Dollars to install a storm drain on Bridge Street, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends that this article be dismissed, in that—

Though members of the Finance Committee visited the area and found a need for a proper drain, it has been stated that the Town of Dracut entered into an agreement with the City of Lowell sometime ago to take care of drainage for this entire area. Because of this, we feel that aggressive effort should be exerted by the town officers to see to it that Lowell keeps its agreement.

ARTICLE 43.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Thousand Eight Hundred Fifty (\$4,850.00) Dollars to install a storm drain on Fox Avenue, or act in any other way thereto.

Finance Committee recommends that this article be dismissed for the same reason outlined in Article #42 above.

ARTICLE 44.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Eight Hundred (\$1,800.00) Dollars to install a storm drain on Nashua Road and Faith Avenue, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends approval of this article. It is our understanding this will be an open ditch leading from an underground culvert under Faith Avenue to a culvert on Nashua Road which leads to a natural brook.

ARTICLE 45.

To see if the Town will vote to transfer Two Thousand Two Hundred Eighty-Nine Dollars and Seventy-Five Cents (\$2,289.75) from the Machinery Account Fund to the General Maintenance Account Fund, and raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Two Hundred Ten Dollars and Twenty-Five Cents (\$1,210.25), for the General Maintenance and Repair of Machinery, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends approval. The Machinery Account Fund is built up from a percentage of State Funds from the various Chapters 90 and 81 for repairs of town equipment used on (State) street projects. The General Maintenance & Repair of Machinery Account is a Town Highway Department account.

ARTICLE 46.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Thousand Six Hundred (\$4,600.00) Dollars to install a storm drain on Martin Terrace, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends approval. Taxpayers on this street have been plagued with water runoff from a back hill. They have granted an easement to the Town which will allow this work to be done at a minimum cost.

ARTICLE 47.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand (\$2,000.00) Dollars to install a storm drain on Spare and Howe Streets, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends that this article be dismissed. It is our understanding that this drain is to be put in so that a piece of Town owned land could be sold to abutters. It is estimated that the revenue derived from the sale of this land would not offset the cost of the drain.

ARTICLE 48.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Thousand Seven Hundred (\$4,700.00) Dollars to relocate and widen Loon Hill Road, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends that this article be dismissed. This expenditure would seem to benefit private interests only.

ARTICLE 49.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand (\$2,000.00) Dollars to erect a cement block building at the Town dump for housing fire hose and other equipment, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends approval. Because of conditions which now exist on the Town Dump, it is definitely felt that some storage area is necessary.

ARTICLE 50.

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars to extend the present fence on Hildreth Street at the site of Town Dump, or act in any other way relative thereto.

Finance Committee recommends approval. To properly stop unauthorized use of dump facilities during off hours, this extra fence footage is deemed necessary.

ARTICLE 51.

To see if the town will vote to rezone the following parcel of land from single dwelling and farming area and industrial area to a business district.

Beginning at a point distanced two hundred and nine and forty eight hundreths (209.48) feet southerly from a county stone bound at former road to the rifle range; thence northerly

along the westerly line of Bridge Street, one thousand thirty two and sixty-four hundredths (1032.64) feet to a stake; thence southwesterly along land of D. N. Cluff estate six hundred eighty-eight and sixty-six hundredths (688.66) feet to a stone wall; thence southeasterly along stone wall and land of V.F.W. two hundred seventy four and ninety-four hundredths (274.94) feet, to the intersection of another stone wall; thence southwesterly along said stone wall eighty one and forty hundredths (81.40) feet to the intersection of another stone wall; thence southerly along said stone wall and land of Alice Parker three hundred ten and thirty five hundredths (310.35) feet to a stake; thence easterly along land of Dracut Eastern Realty Trust five hundred fifty-six (556) feet more or less to the point of beginning. Containing ten and nine hundredths (10.09) acres of which three and thirty-four hundredths (3.34) acres is zoned for single dwelling and farming area and six and seventy five (6.75) acres is zoned for industrial area.

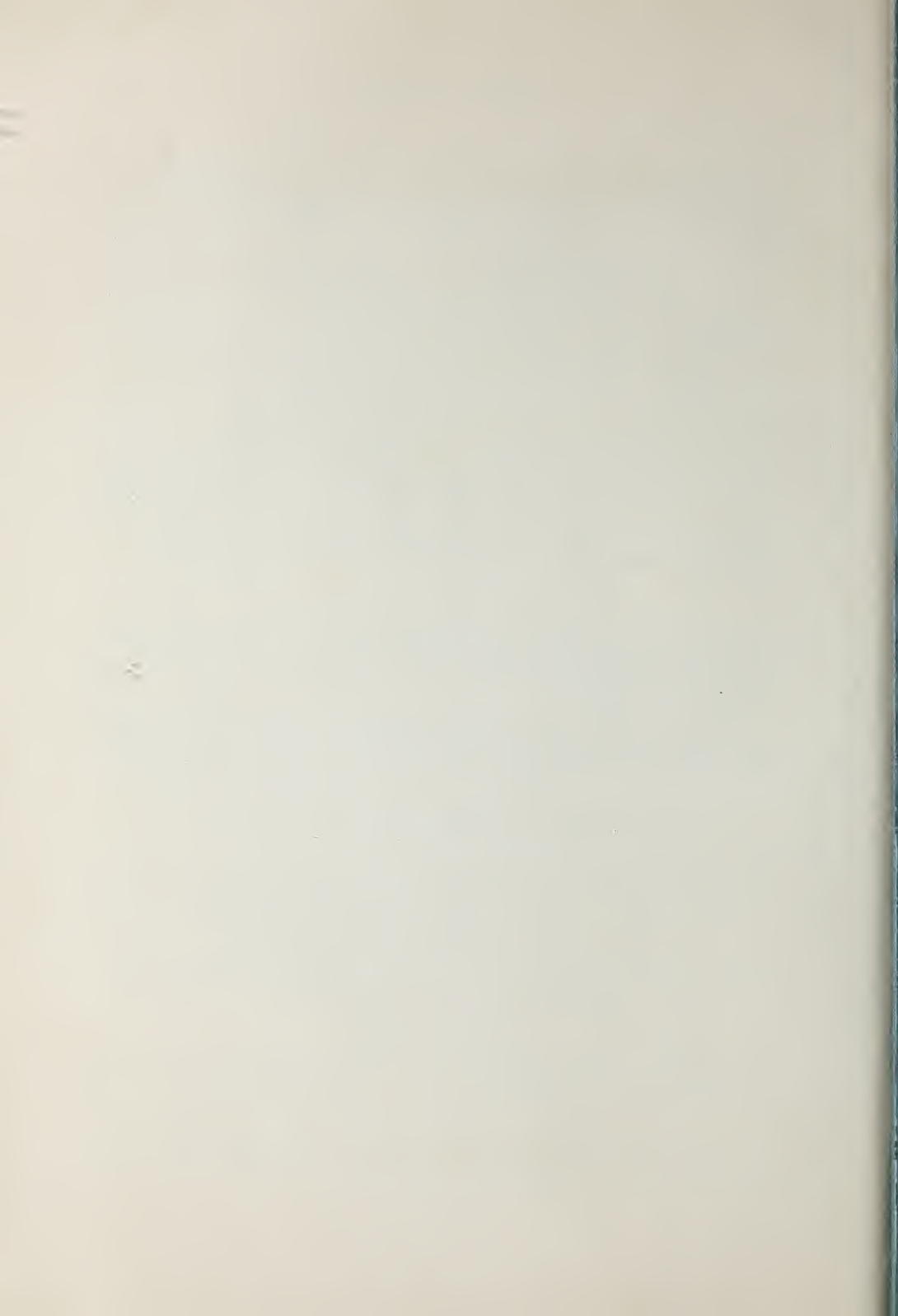
Finance Committee recommendations not required.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the usual places as designated in the By-Laws of said Town eight days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof Fail Not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of meeting as aforesaid.

Given under our hands this 1st day of February in the year of our Lord one Thousand Nine Hundred Sixty-two.

WILLIAM H. BROMLEY
G. HAYWARD JOHNSON
AMEDEE R. GUIMOND
Selectmen of Dracut.



INTERESTING ITEMS

Area of Town 21.3 square miles

Miles of Accepted Streets 100

Registered Voters (December 31, 1961

Precinct No. 1 2,316

Precinct No. 2 1,740

Precinct No. 3 1,898

Precinct No. 4 843

Total 6,797

Number of Dwellings Assessed 3,710

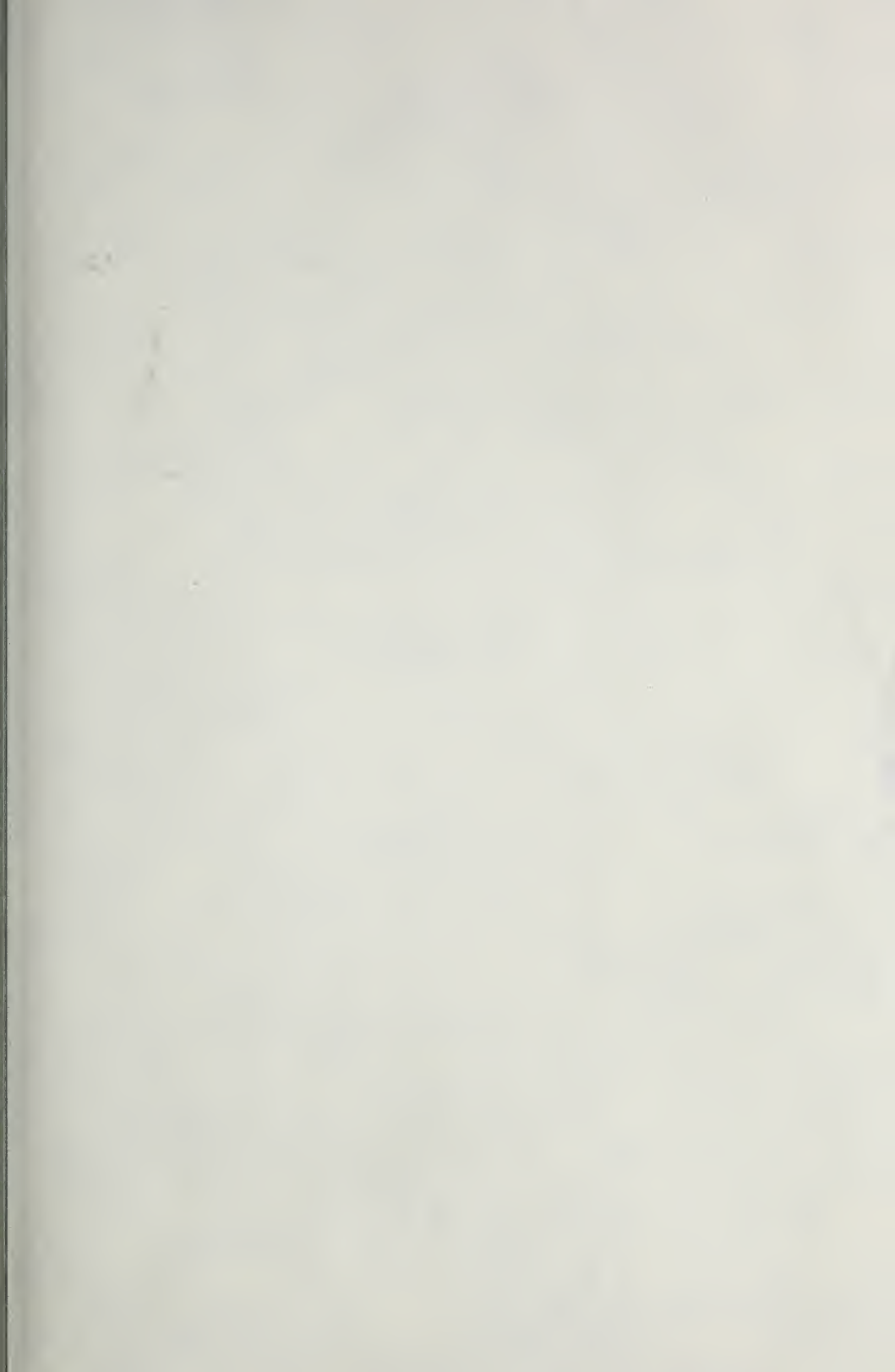
Number of Acres of Land Assessed 11,752

There are seven churches in Dracut.

There are eight schools in Dracut.

AT YOUR SERVICE

DRACUT POLICE DEPARTMENT	GL 3-1143
DRACUT FIRE DEPARTMENT	GL 3-5864
DRACUT HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT	GL 2-0461
BOARD OF SELECTMEN	GL 2-1908
BOARD OF HEALTH	GL 2-1908
BOARD OF ASSESSORS	GL 3-2451
TOWN CLERK, TAX COLLECTOR	GL 3-0951
TOWN TREASURER	GL 4-8262
TOWN ACCOUNTANT	GL 4-8262
WELFARE DEPARTMENT	GL 8-8730
VETERANS BENEFITS	GL 2-1908
PLANNING BOARD	GL 2-1908
BOARD OF APPEALS	GL 2-1908
INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION	GL 2-1908
ASHES AND WASTE DEPARTMENT	GL 2-0461
SCHOOL DEPARTMENT	GL 9-9796
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BUILDING, WIRING, PLUMBING AND GAS INSPECTORS	GL 2-1908





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